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Briefly

Rotary chili

The Granite City Rotary Club will serve up its annual chili day Tuesday, March 2.

The all-you-can-eat dinner will be held from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and from 5 to 7 p.m. at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 20th Street and Delmar Avenue.

Tickets, which are $3.50, are available from any Rotary member or may be purchased at the door.

All proceeds will go toward the club's Polio Plus Campaign and Rotary community projects.

Calaways here

J. Albert and Bev Calaway will be featured at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday at Tri City Park Tabernacle, 3400 Maryville Road.

Their 19-year-old son became involved with drugs, alcohol and the law and received a long prison sentence. They have appeared on many TV programs and Albert Calaway has written a novel based on the family's experiences.

Benefit dance

A benefit dance for Ronnie Baker will be held from 9 p.m. to 1 Saturday at the American Legion, 1825 State St.

The 7-month-old boy underwent a liver transplant at Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital. All proceeds from the dance will go to the Ronnie Baker Trust Fund.

A donation of $7 will include beer and set-ups. Music will be by Mountain Gravey. For more information, the number is 451-2584 or 877-8721.

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Feb. 24: 680; Pick 4: 3414
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05-11-12-19-33
Lotto Game
18-26-27-41-44-46
Feb. 23: 0-2-5; Pick 4: 4-6-7-9
Feb. 22: 0-4-7; Pick 4: 5-4-1-3
Little Lotto Game
04-11-26-27-30
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06-14-33-34-37-53

75 years ago

Feb. 26, 1918

The Anti-Saloon League of Illinois is campaigning to elect a "dry" legislature in 1919 following congressional enactment of a prohibition resolution in Washington. City dry campaigns are already in place in Alton and Chicago.

Trivia

How many people are employed at Granite City Steel?

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Cost overrun angers councilmen

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Several city officials are steaming about $123,000 in cost overruns associated with the recently completed new curbs, gutters and sidewalks in East Granite and Lincoln Place.

Initially, Public Works Director Brett Hanke estimated the cost of the project at $327,000.

The City Council allocated $360,000 for the project, but the final bill for the improvements came to nearly $450,000, Hanke told the City Council's Planning, Zoning and Engineering Committee Tuesday night.

Hanke accepted total responsibility for the overrun.

"It's my mistake. The errors are in my estimation. There are a myriad of errors," Hanke said.

He said neither himself nor C.D. Peters Construction Co., which did the work, realized that costs would exceed the amount appropriated for the project until the work was completed.

Hanke

The Peters bid was accepted on a "unit price" basis, Hanke said.

While his estimate for the cost of each unit was essentially correct, he underestimated the number of units actually completed, Hanke explained.

The improvements were a part of neighborhood revitalization programs in East Granite and in Lincoln Place, and are to be paid for with Madison County Community Development funds.

Some of the aldermen expressed disbelief at the amount by which the actual costs of the project exceeded Hanke's estimate.

"I've never done any concrete work in my life. But I think I can get within a third," said 5th Ward Alderman Tom Candler.

In his own defense, Hanke pointed out that he "saved" the city 10 times the amount of the East Granite/Lincoln Place overrun when he also erred in his estimation of the cost of the recently-completed Nameoki sewer improvement (Insituform) project.

While Hanke estimated the

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School crossing causes concern

Mitchell crossing called 'accident waiting to happen'

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

Walter Scrum is hot about the school crossing in front of Mitchell School and he has Granite City School Board President Mark Eavenson hot about it, too.

Scrum said he has made a point of watching the crossing on East Chain of Rocks Road for several months.

Originally, Scrum said, the yellow lights flashed 24 hours a day so everyone ignored them. After he complained to Superintendent of Schools Steve Balen, Scrum said, that was changed.

"Now they just flash seven days a week during the day," Scrum said.

He said motorists still ignore the flashing lights and don't slow down.

Eavenson said he has crossing-watched with Scrum several times and agreed it is "an accident waiting to happen." Both said a traffic light needs to be installed at the crossing.

Ron Landman, director of buildings and grounds, said the school district has been doing what it can, but said the crossing is caught in the midst of a bureaucratic snarl with the Illinois Department of Transportation.

East Chain of Rocks Road is a state highway (Highway 203), but IDOT said the crossing itself belongs to the school district.

Landman said he first approached IDOT about sharing the cost of a traffic signal there, but that was declined. Now, Landman said, the district is willing to pay for a traffic signal at the crossing, but cannot unless IDOT first grants approval.

"They say it's our problem, but they want to approve anything before we do it," Landman said.

"I was told the crossing qualifies for a signal light, based on both motor traffic and pedestrian traffic, but that it may not be approved because of fear that (its location) may lead to rear-end accidents."

Scrum and Eavenson also

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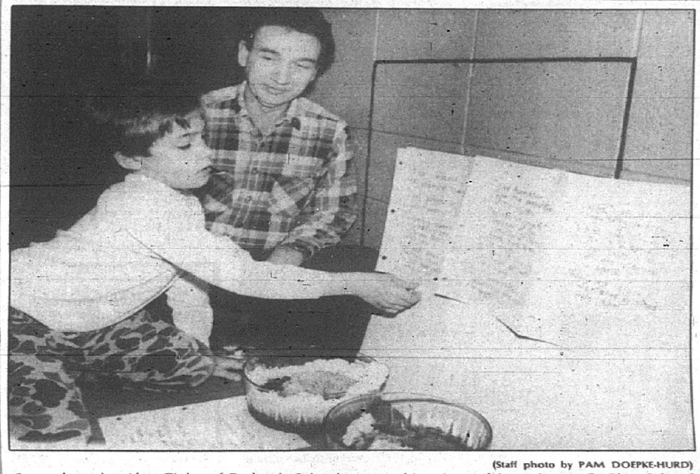

(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Second grader Alec Giuka of Frohardt School sets up his science-fair project at Prather School with the help of his dad, Gary. More than 600 science projects from the Granite City School District were entered in this year's fair. See page 2A for more photos.

600 science projects displayed

More than 600 individual projects were featured at the 1993 Art Menendez Science Fair held Feb. 18 at Prather School.

The fair, named after founder and longtime Granite City principal Art Menendez, is open on a voluntary basis to all Granite City students from kindergarten to sixth grade.

Twelve top-level medallion awards were presented as well as more than 200 ribbons for first place, second place and honorable mention.

Every student who participated received a certificate.

"We stress the regular scientific process," said Cindy Mills, who with Pat Gonwa chaired this year's fair. "This year's projects were very impressive."

Mills said both the number and quality of the science fair projects have escalated over the years.

"It's really a lot of fun," Mills said. "Parents, teachers and students all work together on these projects and the quality is first-class."

Felony case filings up 8 percent here

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Police Chief Don Knight says he is not surprised that crime increased last year in Granite City. He also expects the trend to continue.

"There is a trend of increased criminal activity and I expect that to continue," Knight said.

Knight attributed the increase in crime to two factors — an increase, due to annexations, in the actual area of the city and an increase in the number of businesses in the city.

An estimated $1,150,000 in property was reported stolen during the year, $225,000 recovered and $207,000 destroyed due to criminal activity, according to the police department's annual report for 1992.

In response to the increase in criminal activity, Knight has instituted a crime prevention unit. The unit emphasizes community awareness and participation programs, such as Neighborhood Watch, Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.), the City-Wide Fight Against Drugs Festival Week, and a citizen response survey.

"With the trend of increasing crime and fewer police officers, we are going to have to rely more on citizen participation programs like these," Knight said.

Knight said he agrees with some aldermen on the City Council's Police Committee that his department is "under-clerked."

"Civilians should be enlisted to perform non-police duties (currently being handled by sworn officers). That would free up more officers for the streets," Knight said.

"But I still say we need more police officers as well. Since 1989, we have had an increase of

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Mobile home restrictions slated

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

New mobile homes in Venice will apparently only be allowed in mobile home parks.

The City Council Tuesday instructed Alderman John Ervin, chairman of the Zoning Commission charged with writing Venice's first-ever zoning ordinance, to add that restriction to the proposed ordinance.

The Zoning Commission was scheduled to meet Wednesday night to prepare a final version of the ordinance.

Questions concerning mobile homes were raised at a hearing on the draft zoning ordinance Feb. 10.

In the draft ordinance, mobile homes — on permanent foundations, with wheels removed — would have been allowed on any lot in the area zoned R-2 residential. That area includes all of the city's current residential neighborhoods.

At the hearing, several residents and aldermen expressed concerns that mobile homes could hurt the property value of neighboring houses.

Alderman Henry Fletcher said that, while he understood those concerns, people would be more likely to put up a mobile home than build a new house on the large number of 25-foot-wide vacant lots in the city.

At Tuesday's council meeting, Alderman Michael Terrell said that even a 14-foot-wide mobile home would be a tight fit on a 25-foot lot, since the proposed ordinance requires five-foot setbacks from the side property lines.

Terrell said allowing mobile homes "just about anywhere in the city" would harm property values and "just isn't worth it."

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Plant ready to resume work

American Steel set for March 1 start

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

American Steel Foundries is on schedule to resume operation at the beginning of March, according to company spokesman Jerry Gura.

"We've got one shift (approximately 200 workers) operating now and it's a matter of pouring some test heats (of steel) and bringing everything out and up," Gura said. "I think we're pretty much on schedule."

The company hopes to recall all of its laid-off employees — about 500 including the shift already back — "as soon as possible."

In December, American Steel announced that the Granite City foundry, which had been closed since July 5, 1991, would reopen and also announced that the Granite City facility would undergo a multi-million-dollar capital expansion so that it will eventually produce the entire line of American Steel products.

The expansion is expected to lead to as many as 1,300 jobs at the foundry.

The Granite City foundry had made side frames and bolsters for railroad car wheel assemblies.

With the addition of a new molding machine and other improvements, it will now begin making end-of-car couplers, wheel housings, fifth wheels and other products now made at American Steel's foundries in Alliance, Ohio, and Indiana Harbor, Ind., according to Dick Bernard, ASF director of industrial relations.

Bernard said the capital improvements are expected to take two or three years to complete. He said the Alliance foundry will decrease its production as production increases at the Granite City foundry.

Buddy Davis, director of District 34, United Steelworkers of America, negotiated the contract extension that allowed the Granite City foundry to reopen.

Davis stressed that the extension made "no economic concessions, no wage cuts and no benefit reductions."

American Steel's Granite City Works — the largest steel foundry in the free world — closed in 1982 when the market for railroad cars went into a deep recession. It reopened in 1989, but closed again in 1991 when the market declined again.

Davis said the company should be applauded for continuing its union contracts throughout the "devastating layoffs" in 1982 and 1991.

At its peak, the Granite City foundry employed 1,750 people and produced more than 25,000 sets of side frames and bolsters a year.

American Steel Foundries is a division of AMSTED Industries Inc. Both are headquartered in Chicago.

Court denies Hampton lawyer's plea to withdraw

SPRINGFIELD — The Illinois Supreme Court has denied a request by Granite City attorney Charles Weitzman to withdraw as attorney for convicted killer Lloyd Wayne Hampton.

Weitzman told the court Hampton no longer wanted him as his attorney, but the high court denied the petition Tuesday without comment.

Hampton does not believe Weitzman "can adequately represent (him) in any further proceedings," Weitzman said in his written request to withdraw.

The attorney had no comment after the court turned down the request.

Also Tuesday, the state high court granted an additional stay of execution for Hampton until the Madison County Circuit Court has decided on his request to set aside the death sentence.

That motion, which Hampton decided to pursue hours before his scheduled execution in November, was filed by Weitzman and argues Hampton's rights were denied because he was not adequately informed of the consequences of his guilty plea and was not advised of possible life in prison instead of execution.

The motion has been assigned to Judge Edward Ferguson, who has not scheduled a hearing.

Weitzman was appointed by the Supreme Court last fall to represent Hampton, convicted of murdering Roy "Jasper" Pendleton of Troy, formerly of Granite City, when Hampton was fighting efforts to keep him alive.

Hampton pleaded guilty to the torture murder in 1990 and waived his right to sentencing before a jury.

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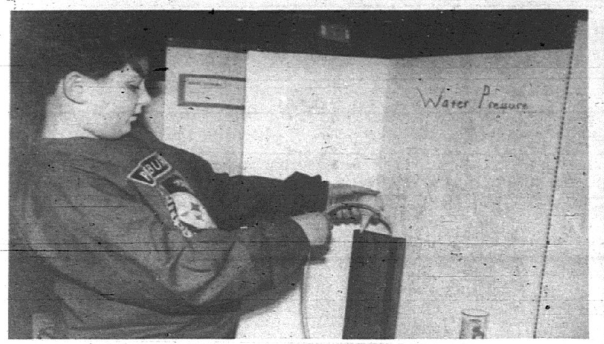

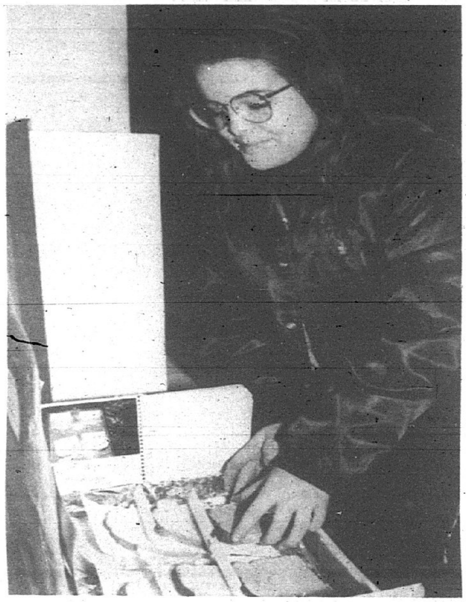

Science Fair — Students from Granite City Community Unit District 9 took some 600 science-fair projects to Prather School to be judged this year. In top left photo, fifth grader Brian Madison of Mitchell School fills his water-pressure gauge with water. In top right photo, Maryville School Principal Pat Gonwa helps fifth grader Amanda Yeager of Marshall School to register her project. At bottom left, sixth grader Madrigal Vorce of Niedringhaus School puts her bread mold project together. At bottom right, fifth grader Emily Worthen of Frohardt School fills a dish with sand and iron fillings for her project on separating filings.

FACES IN THE CROWD

(Staff photos by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Burglar allegedly caught in act

Two quick-acting Granite City men caught an alleged burglar in the act early Sunday morning, but an apparent accomplice escaped.

Michael A. Bazzell, 40, of the 2100 block of Delmar Avenue, was charged Monday with residential burglary in relation to the incident. Bond on the warrant is $50,000.

He is alleged to have burglarized the home of Christopher Hill in the 2100 block of Terminal Avenue.

Hill, 27, told police that he and Kevin Hutchings, also 27, pulled into Hill's driveway at about 3 a.m. Feb. 21 just in time to see Bazzell and another man run out the front door.

Hill captured and held Bazzell while Hutchings tried unsuccessfully to catch the other man, they told police.

After Hutchings returned to the front yard, where Hill was holding Bazzell on the ground, the second man drove a 1978 Buick LeSabre through the yard in an apparent attempt to run down all three, according to a police report.

But when the car got stuck in the mud, the second man jumped out, was temporarily detained by Hill, and then ran away, according to the report.

Police officers next arrived on the scene and arrested Bazzell. Hill's home had been ransacked, but nothing appeared to be missing at the time, according to the report.

The car contained two stereo speakers, ten compact discs, a videocassette recorder, a 16-gauge shotgun and a Black and Decker sander in the trunk; and a black Samurai sword and sheath, 15 compact discs, jewelry and a microwave oven in the passenger compartment, according to the report.

Hill told police he became suspicious when his outdoor lights, which are activated by a motion detector, did not come on when he pulled up to the house.

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complained that the paint used to mark the crossing has not held up and asked why a better paint csnnot be used.

Landman said the district uses the best paint available, but that it is not as good as the hot-paint process used by IDOT.

"They (IDOT) used to do the marking, but now say it's our responsibility," Landman said. "We're using a top grade of paint."

Eavenson suggested that Landman check with the Granite City Street Department to see what paint it used because its painted markings seemed to hold up better than the paint used at Mitchell School.

Mitchell Principal Ron Stern said he and other school officials had talked to the Madison County Sheriff's Department about patrolling the area for speeders on a regular basis, but said he was told the deputy will only do it "if he has time."

Stern said that, based on past experience, a deputy's presence only slows traffic temporarily and that traffic speeds up again as soon as the deputy leaves.

•Crime

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14 percent more calls with a corresponding decrease of 4 percent fewer sworn police officers," Knight said.

The Neighborhood Watch program has been instituted in 12 neighborhoods throughout the city, with nearly 1,000 residents participating. Several more areas have expressed interest in establishing the program this year, Knight said.

The department's 35-man patrol division answered a total of 27,188 complaints in 1992, or an average of 74 responses each day for calls for service, according to the report. The number of complaints is an 8 percent increase over 1991, the report states.

During the past year, police officers patroled a total of 423,355 miles — the equivalent of 17 trips around the world — in department vehicles, the report states.

The most common type of call for police assistance was civil and domestic-related problems. Officers responded to 4,484 calls of that nature, an increase of 8 percent over 1991.

Officers responded to 1,846 reports of suspicious persons or vehicles, the second most common call, the report states.

Other types of activity included: traffic accidents — 1,835 of them, resulting in four deaths, 482 injuries and about $820,000 in property damage; alarms — 1,779, of which only two percent were related to actual offenses; complaints against minors — 1,405, an increase of 24 percent over the previous year; "lock-outs" — 1,112 cases where someone had locked their keys in a car; complaints related to animals — 614, an increase of 52 percent over 1991; and shoplifting — 286, an 11 percent increase.

There were 327 felony cases filed with the State's Attorney's office last year, an 8 percent increase. Of those cases, 41 resulted in prison sentences of a year or more for the offender, five resulted in dismissal or not-guilty verdicts, 157 are pending, and the remaining 124 resulted in probation, fines or jail time of less than a year.

Thirty-nine deaths were investigated, of which two were homicides. Both homicides resulted in arrests and the trials are pending.

Knight said he is proud of his department.

"They all do their job under trying circumstances and still maintain their professionalism. I am proud of them," he said.

•Cost

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total cost at $4.7 million, the actual price tag was $3.5 million.

"It is the same type of mistake in estimation. But when you underestimate the cost (as opposed to overestimating), the City Council has to find the money (to make up the cost) in the budget," Hanke said.

Economic Development Director Alan Ortbals suggested that the funds could be taken from other Community Development accounts held by the city. Such an action would require a public hearing, Ortbals said.

Alderman Jeff Worthen, chairman of the Planning, Zoning and Engineering Committee, said that the overrun was "unfortunate."

"No matter where we find the money, some other project is going to suffer," Worthen said.

The matter was referred to the city's attorney staff.

•Homes

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Terrell said he believed the city should limit mobile homes to a mobile home park.

Alderman Victor Valentine agreed with Terrell and said, "I just don't like the idea of having (mobile homes) scattered out all across the city."

Fletcher said he was willing to go along with the majority of the council.

"Since, as I recall, Alderman Fletcher was the only one who said anything about not wanting to restrict mobile homes to parks, I guess that ends it," Mayor Tyrone Echols said.

Venice currently has no mobile-home parks.

Ervin and City Attorney Casper Nighohossian said the Zoning Commission would establish minimum size requirements and other restrictions for mobile-home parks in the ordinance.

At the Feb. 10 hearing, Valentine had expressed his concern that the minimum yard requirements for a day-care center were too large.

On Tuesday, Ervin said that the Zoning Commission had decided that the best way to set minimum yard requirements for a day-care center would be to set a per-pupil requirement of 100 square feet. The aldermen agreed with that solution.

Ervin said he hoped the Zoning Commission would have a final draft of the zoning ordinance ready for passage at the March 9 or March 23 City Council meeting.

New battle looms on motorcycle helmet plan

SPRINGFIELD — A motorcycle riders' group is gearing up for another fight against mandatory helmets.

Helmet laws rise and fall each year in the Legislature with intense opposition from motorcyclists and weak support among lawmakers.

The riders' group, A Brotherhood Aimed Toward Education, is again urging its members throughout the state to call their Legislators to voice opposition.

The group will hold a seminar Saturday and Sunday in Springfield to tell members how to lobby lawmakers.

But the stakes are different this year. Legislators will have to choose between angering a group of voters or losing millions of federal dollars for highway construction.

Federal law requires the Legislature to pass a helmet law by Oct. 1 or transfer 1.5 percent of the state's federal highway construction funds to safety programs in 1995 and 3 percent each following year.

A 1.5 percent loss would mean $6.6 million in 1995 and $13.5 million after that, according to John Burke, spokesman for the Illinois Department of Transportation.

Safety programs would include driver education, law enforcement or other such projects.

The annual sponsor of the helmet law, Sen. John Cullerton, D-Chicago, said the main issue is reducing injuries and medical costs from motorcycle accidents.

"Clearly it saves money by preventing serious injuries and preventing deaths," Cullerton said.

He said losing highway funds may finally tip lawmakers' support in his favor, especially if he can also win the support of Gov. Jim Edgar.

Edgar has not taken a position on the helmet law in past years. The governor's spokesman, Mike Lawrence, said Edgar is reviewing the issue, but would not speculate on how long that review would take.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Adopt A Pet day scheduled for March 6

The Madison Humane Society will hold an Adopt A Pet day from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 6, at PetsMart in O'Fallon.

Puppies and kittens of all shapes, sizes and breeds will be availabie for adoption. Many adults pets, kittens and purebreds which have been spayed or neutered, are also available for adoption. Declawed cats are also available.

Dog adoptions are $45; cats, $25.

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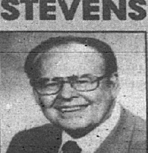
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Buddy Davis retiring as Steelworkers' union leader

Buddy Davis

Buddy Davis has been fighting for working men and women all his professional life.

"I've been on the front line for 40 years for the guy who sweats over a steel furnace for a paycheck," Davis said.

Davis' voice in the country's labor movement may be silent next month for the first time since 1950.

The 62-year-old labor leader will retire as director of the six-state District 34 of the United Steelworkers of America.

"Buddy is a steelworker's man. He's a fighter for laboring people all the way to the White House," said Thomas Majovsky, business representative of Alton Laborers Local 218.

Davis was fresh out of the U.S. Navy in 1950 when he went to work in the labor gang at Laclede Steel Co. in Alton.

He cut steel in the 100-degree summers to bring a paycheck home to his wife, Iola, and their newborn child living in a basement apartment in Wood River.

"I was so dirty from the steel mill job that nobody wanted to sit next to me on the bus ride home to Wood River," Davis said.

Davis was barely 20 years old when he spoke out about working conditions at the steel mill.

Davis won the confidence of his steelworker buddies and they elected him as a shop steward, and later vice president of Steelworkers Local 3643.

The Alton community took notice of the young labor leader in the early 1960s. He was elected the first president of the Alton-Wood River United Fund in 1961.

Davis started his climb to the top in the international steelworkers union in 1957 when he was elected full-time president of Local 3643, a job that put him in the national limelight.

His talent for negotiating new contracts caught the eye of Lloyd McBride, District 34 director and later international president of the United Steelworkers of America.

"I sat at the negotiating table for days with very little sleep to hammer out a contract," Davis said. "We never went on strike at Laclede. I'm proud of that record."

With the support of McBride, Davis was elected director of steelworkers District 34, headquartered in St. Louis, in 1977.

"I was the voice for 36,000 steelworkers in six states," Davis said.

"Buddy was a tough negotiator," Majovsky said. "He was fair and well-respected. You could always trust his word."

While Davis traveled to Kansas or Iowa to negotiate union contracts, his wife was on the home front caring for their six boys and two girls.

"My wife and children were my biggest supporters," Davis said.

As district director, Davis sits on the international board of the United Steelworkers.

"Buddy speaks out across the country for laboring people," sad Rep. Jim McPike, D-Alton, Illinois House majority leader.

Davis was saddened by the closing of Duncan Foundry, the Owens-Illinois Glass Co. and the Standard Oil refinery in Wood River.

"It broke my heart to see all those hard-working people lose their jobs," Davis said. "I was so helpless. There was nothing we could do to stop the plants from shutting down."

Davis fought for years to reopen the American Steel Foundries in Granite City.

"I'm retiring on a happy note," Davis said. "American Steel is opening again. And that means jobs and paychecks for thousands of people."

Davis is as much at ease in his office in St. Louis as he is talking to his neighbors on the street corner in Wood River.

"Buddy is as common as an old shoe," McPike said. "He's just as comfortable talking to the governor or chatting with a stranger at a coffee shop in Alton."

Davis never forgot his roots as a steelworker.

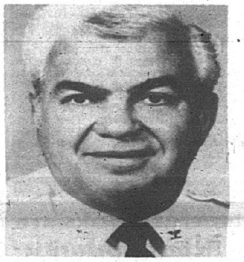
"I got my start as a laborer," Davis said. "I can never forget that. My heart will always be with the working man and woman."

— From the Alton Telegraph

(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Benefit dance and auction — Dan Whiteside, OATH's program director, and Bertha Muir, OATH's education assistant, with some of the items donated for an auction March 13 to benefit the Organization for Advancement of The Handicapped. Some of the items to be auctioned include on autographed script from the Roseann show, a belt from singer Suzy Baugus, an autographed photo of singer Charlie Daniels and a T-shirt from him. The country and western dance and auction is set for Saturday, March 13, at St. Gregory's Armenian Community Center, 10 Colonial Drive. Doors will open at 7:30 p.m. A donation of $15 per person will include chicken, beer and set-ups. The KIX-FM 104.5 band, Sidekix, will provide the music. All proceeds from the dance and auction will go to benefit OATH's sheltered workshop for the handicapped.

Churchich defends payments to himself



Bob Churchich

Sheriff Bob Churchich says he was acting within the law when he funneled more than $26,000 in campaign money to a personal bank account over the last six years.

Records filed with the Madison County Clerk's Office show Churchich paid $26,264 to himself between July 1986 and December 1992. The payments were made as reimbursements for travel, entertainment and contributions to the campaigns of other candidates. They averaged $4,370 a year.

Churchich defended the payments, which he said are not prohibited under Illinois law.

"Those are all involving my support of other candidates through fund-raisers and that kind of stuff," he said Tuesday.

But a spokeswoman for a campaign watchdog group says the law is an ethical "vacuum" that needs to be fixed.

Under Illinois law, candidates are allowed to spend campaign money as if it were personal money provided they follow state disclosure laws that require them to itemize large expenditures, said Tracy Litsey, a spokeswoman for Illinois Common Cause, a government watchdog group that has lobbied for campaign finance reform.

"It's wide open at this point," Litsey said, referring to state laws guiding the use of campaign money. "It is pretty common unfortunately. Illinois is one of those glaring, glaring vacuums of ethics laws, I'm afraid."

The sheriff, who has raised more than $220,000 in contributions since he first ran for office in 1986, said he routinely pays some campaign expenses, such as tickets to other candidates' fund-raisers, out of a personal bank account set aside for that purpose.

Churchich said he tries to keep about $2,000 in the account. When the account drops to the $500 or $600 level, he said he reimburses it out of his campaign fund.

"I've got all the receipts here at home," he said.

Churchich also said the special $2,000 bank account does not have to be registered with the County Clerk's Office since the money does not benefit his campaign. It is used to further the campaigns of other candidates, he said.

Since 1986, Churchich has raised $220,179, not counting several thousand dollars brought in at last week's annual fund-raiser in Bethalto. Of that $220,179, he spent $144,933, including the $26,264 in payments to himself, records show.

The remaining $118,669 in expenditures were used to pay for fund-raisers, advertisements and postage, records show.

The $26,264 Churchich paid himself accounts for about 18 percent of his campaign expenditures in the last six years.

He said last week's fund-raiser attracted hundreds of supporters and county employees. "It went great. We had a whole ton of people out there."

— From the Alton Telegraph

Neglected children in spotlight

New complaints may help meet problem

ALTON — The tragedy of neglected children and some well-publicized cases have made the term "home alone" part of the popular vocabulary.

And the news may bear the seeds of a solution as people become more aware of the problem and report incidents to authorities, child-care workers say.

River Bend United Way Program Director Candy Runion said public attention may make the job a little easier for police officers and social workers dealing with child abandonment on a regular basis.

"It's not that these are happening more often; it's just that everybody's looking for it now," Runion said. "We're paying attention to it, and that may make people think twice before doing something like this."

She said her First Call for Help program could help more families if more concerned residents speak out.

"If someone's getting ready to leave her kids and thinks her neighbors are watching, she might not do it," Runion said. "It's like a few years ago, you didn't talk about incest but now people are talking about it."

Illinois Division of Children and Family Services officials are currently investigating two area child abandonment cases.

The most recent case involved a woman who left three children in the care of a friend Feb. 12. The friend was arrested on suspicion of retail theft later that evening and the children, ages 9, 4 and 2, apparently remained home alone until the apartment building's owner discovered them Feb. 14.

Alton police officers also discovered two children, ages 4 and 2, alone in a dangerous home Feb. 3. The only heat was from a space heater. No charges have been filed in either case but DCFS officials said they are investigating both families.

A Staunton couple was charged with neglect earlier this month after allegedly leaving four children and a grandchild alone.

In both of the two more cases, officials said the children were left in filthy homes with little food.

Children's Home and Aid Society program supervisor Chris McFarlane said children of negligent parents often live in dangerous or unsanitary homes.

"We look at things like the availability of medical care, adequate food and shelter and the safety of homes," McFarlane said. "Usually additional problems result from the other problems."

McFarlane said six of 16 Madison County cases handled by the society in the last six months involved inadequate supervision.

"We get everything from parents who are overwhelmed with responsibilities to drug-dependent parents where the drug takes precedent over their children," she said. "In some cases there are (parents with) developmental disabilities."

Although the recent cases involved low-income families, Runion said income is not always a factor.

"These cases apparently involve poor families but I think it's important for people to realize that it's not just poor people," Runion said. "Some of the worst stories we hear are not poor families."

Runion said the recent nationally publicized case of a suburban Chicago couple who left two children alone while they vacationed proves child abandonment is not found exclusively in poor families.

"Cases like that are just blatant child abuse," she said. "With poor families it's sometimes done out of desperation. You can't take your kids to a job interview."

Runion encourages families who need child-care assistance to contact First Call for Help at 465-5800 or another group. Children's Home and Aid Society also operates a child-care database to help parents find quality care. The number is (800) 467-9200.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Second Marine Division soldiers sought

The Second Marine Division Association is searching for all former or present Marines who were ever in or attached to the Second Division.

The division, hopes to make former or present Marines of the division aware of the benefits available, as well as possibly renew old acquaintances.

The Second is a highly decorated division, known for its many historical battles and engagement, such as Guadalcanal, Tarawa, Okinawa, the Cuban crisis, Dominican Republic, Lebanon, Grenada and more recently, Panama and Desert Storm.

The Association wants to make contact with these men and women, in order to inform them of the Association benefits. The Association is not just a social organization, although many old buddies have been located and friendships renewed through the process.

A scholarship fund is set up for dependents of deserving families or former and present Second Division personnel and the Association also publishes a bimonthly paper, keeping members informed on various activities, veteran benefits, etc. A reunion is held each year, with the 1993 reunion scheduled for Denver in September.

Any person who is in, has ever served with, or been attached to, the Second Marine Division, is urgently requested to contact: Bill Smith, 21500 Lassen St., #168, Chatsworth, Calif. 91331, or call, 1-818-341-0504.

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Cruse leaves big shoes

In 1988, Mayor Von Dee Cruse made an appointment to visit American Steel's headquarters in Chicago "just to say we're here to help if you need it. People thought it was a waste of time, but I said, 'What can it hurt? The foundry is already closed.' "

Cruse asked American Steel to not write off Granite City. Cruse said that, if any obstacles to doing business in Granite City appeared insurmountable, American Steel should let him know and give him a chance to help.

American Steel was impressed with Cruse's sincerity and remembered what he had said when, about a year later, wastewater disposal appeared to be an obstacle to reopening its Granite City Works.

When American Steel approached Cruse, the mayor said he did not know anything about wastewater, but said he had an award-winning sewage treatment plant superintendent who did. Cruse loaned his superintendent to American Steel, the problem was solved and, in 1989, American Steel Foundries reopened its Granite City Works.

Although American Steel has been closed again since then, it is expected to be moving back toward full production — and an even bigger future — as Cruse leaves office in May.

An expanding American Steel Foundries is a fitting closing note for Cruse's time as mayor. At a time when factory closings have almost become "business as usual," Granite City has been able to hold its own because Cruse, his administration and the City Council have been willing to work with and for businesses.

Although Cruse did not know it at the time, the Aldi Food Store chain had already decided that opening a store here was not worth the hassles it was facing from some Granite City citizens. Cruse drove to the company's headquarters in Missouri to assure the company he wanted to see it open here. Because Cruse was "willing to take a day out of his schedule and drive out here for a personal visit," the company changed its mind and built the store.

Granite City was a nameless demographic area on a 10-year plan at Wal-Mart in 1988 when Cruse and the City Council mounted a letter-writing campaign to Wal-Mart. Cruse and several other community leaders drove to Bentonville, Ark., to deliver the nearly 15,000 collected letters. Cruse got the promise from Wal-Mart that, if it ever decided to build a store in the area, it would be in Granite City. The Wal-Mart store opened last year.

When PVO Foods started looking for a place to relocate its Edwardsville plant, Cruse started selling Granite City. He did such a good job that PVO Foods not only moved the Edwardsville operation here, but also its world headquarters.

During Cruse's time in office, Nippon Kokan and National Steel invested millions of dollars to build a second continuous caster at Granite City Steel, making it virtually the most modern steelmaking facility in the United States.

There have been several million-dollar expansions at the *Northgate Industrial Park. The Madison County Transit District invested more than a million dollars downtown to* build a bus terminal. Million-dollar expansions are proceeding at the Tri-City Regional Port District. St. Elizabeth Medical Center made a million-dollar expansion.

A new auto dealership park was built on Highway 3. Shoney's, McDonald's, QuickTrip, Jack-in-the-Box and a host of other businesses have opened in the city. When Wilbert Engelke told Cruse about his dream of building a professional-caliber golf course, Cruse asked, "Why not make it a reality?" The result was the Legacy Golf Course and residential community.

All of this has taken place during a time when other area communities have seen factories shutting down and shopping centers turning into ghost towns. Much of the credit goes to Cruse because he was willing to take personal political risks for the good of the city as a whole.

In many cases, Cruse had to face a large, hostile crowd opposing various projects at public hearings and City Council meetings. But Cruse didn't back down. He knew the number of people helped would eventually outnumber those protesters — and he did what was right rather than what was expedient.

The next mayor of Granite City will find he has large shoes to fill when it comes to attracting and keeping businesses — and jobs — in Granite City.

A hostile crowd may loom so large that at times it is easy to lose sight of the big picture. The next mayor must make sure that Cruse's positive approach continues and that Granite City remains attractive for economic activity and job growth.

Dixon unlikely to run for governor

By Robert Estill of Copley News Service

Eugene Callahan, longtime top aide and political adviser to former Sen. Alan Dixon, discourages speculation that Dixon may try a political comeback with a bid for the 1994 gubernatorial nomination.

Some have suggested that the Belleville Democrat, 65, a veteran of nearly 44 years in elective offices, would be the strongest contender against Republican Gov. Jim Edgar. But Callahan indicated Dixon is unlikely to make the race.

Callahan said he and Dixon were having lunch recently when a friend approached their table and told Dixon, "You really ought to run for governor." Dixon, Callahan said, shook his head negatively, chuckled and told the friend, "I think Roland Burris and Neil Hartigan are good candidates."

Burris, the attorney general and former state comptroller, already has said he intends to seek the nomination. Hartigan, a former attorney general and lieutenant governor who nearly beat Edgar in 1990, is expected to enter the race.

Other possible contenders for the nomination include State Comptroller Dawn Clark Netsch, State Treasurer Patrick Quinn, Cook County Board President Richard J. Phelan and Chicago lawyer Albert Hofeld.

Hofeld spent $4.5 million in a bid to wrest the 1992 Senate nomination away from Dixon, but it was Carol Moseley Braun, the third contender in the primary, who grabbed the brass ring.

Dixon is living in Belleville and is a partner in Bryan Cave, the largest law firm in St. Louis, with national and international offices.

Along with what is assumed to be a hefty salary at the law firm, Dixon gets about $70,000 a year in federal and state pensions.

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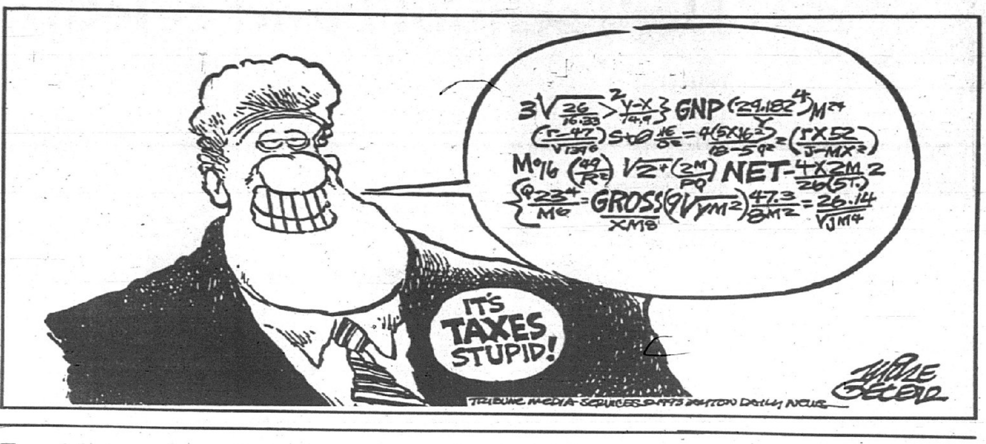
Michael Frazier, 36, new chief of staff for Sen. Braun, will draw an annual salary of $89,000, according to an aide to the senator.

Frazier was a legislative aide to Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., for eight years before starting work for Braun on Feb. 20.

Jeremy Karpatkin, U.S. Sen. Paul Simon's chief of staff, is paid about $78,000 annually.

Karpatkin, 31, has been employed by Simon since 1987 and was promoted from deputy chief of staff to the top job in January.

Callahan, who was Dixon's top aide, was paid $105,582. Callahan had been with Dixon for nearly 20 years in Dixon's posts as U.S. senator, Illinois secretary of state and state treasurer.



Letters

Hasty tax plan won't cut deficit

TO THE EDITOR:

It is a noble feeling, indeed, to take part in a sacrifice which is deemed to be for the betterment of all.

To know that our excesses in life have been irresponsible and to face up to it with the expectation of suffering a little (not too much, thank you) does the heart good, doesn't it?

But wait a minute. I'm not at all sure that I have lived life to excess. And when I figure up the tax load I am expected to pay, counting gas tax, tax on goods and services, real estate tax, Social Security taxes, license fees, etc., I find my tax load to be around 50 percent of my wages.

If I figure on eating, driving, wearing clothes and living in a house, I find my share of my pay check getting smaller and the government's share enlarging.

Why our cost-of-living increases do not adequately fund the government's share is beyond me.

Then, if we look back to 1983, when we had a tax increase, the deal being that the government would cut the budget $2 for every $1 of increased revenue raised, we might remember that the economy faltered, we paid our taxes and the government forgot about the cuts.

Once burned ...

Then again in 1990 we had a large tax increase with an accompanying promise from Congress that in five years the debt would be cut by two-thirds.

Once again, we paid the taxes; this time the economy went into the toilet, and the government forgot about the cuts.

Twice burned.

I hope I am not the only one who remembers "Once burned, shame on you, twice burned, shame on me." There must be a reason that the author of this adage did not find it necessary to continue on with a line for thrice burned.

If I am being too vague, I am attempting to suggest that we need not only see the proposals of the cuts on the table, we need to see these cuts fully enacted and these savings in the bank before we offer any of our money.

And not in the House Bank, thank you very much.

The check has been in the mail twice now. It evidently went through the infamous House Post office.

It is unfortunate, but our leaders cannot be trusted with the checkbook.

If $100 is expected in the Treasury, there will immediately be 10 congressmen, each busy writing $20 checks on the account.

Congressional math is wonderful. The fact that we were making a dent in the deficit in 1986 and 1987 was quickly overcome by our lawmakers. Spending has always been the problem with our economy; funding never has.

There is every possibility that if all reasonable cuts were made in the government, our contributions would not even be needed. Doesn't anyone else feel that we are being fleeced?

With the energy tax being a very real possibility, we do not need to be sheared again.

And for the president to suggest that he has worked harder then he has ever worked in his life to come up with this proposal merely points out that he has led a very soft life.

If he were honest, he would have to admit that it would take three weeks to make an estimate of the time needed to find all the waste in government.

This proposal has been made in haste, with the gullibility of the public in mind.

PAUL MOHME
Collinsville

Good coverage

TO THE EDITOR:

Council 1098 of the Knights of Columbus wishes to thank the *Press-Record/Journal* for the wonderful publicity we received this past month.

We appreciate the photos of the presentation of checks to the different organizations, derived from our Tootsie Roll drive.

Also, the publicity we received for the K. of C. free throw contest was outstanding. The write-ups we received for all of our doings were greatly appreciated. Thank you very much.

RUDY HOFFEK
Publicity chairman,
K. of C, Council 1098

Newer books are a school priority

TO THE EDITOR:

This letter is in response to recent articles concerning the use of outdated textbooks in the Granite City School District.

It is offered to make our residents aware of the facts concerning this issue and to assure them that this is a priority issue with teachers, administrators and school board members. We appreciate and share the concerns of parents and students in this district in regard to this issue.

The School District is currently using 1971-edition health books and 1974-edition science books. These are the last two of the major textbooks to be updated since the drastic budget cuts that were made in the district beginning in 1983.

The replacement of these books was reviewed during the 1990-91 school year, with plans to implement that change in the 1991-92 school year. Unfortunately, reductions were made in state funding and in the Textbook Loan Program and this replacement became financially impossible.

Replacement of these books alone will cost the district over $160,000. Since this cost obviously has to come from existing revenues, this purchase can only be accomplished by cost reductions in other areas.

This reduction would, in all probability, have to come from staff cuts, resulting in a far greater negative impact on our educational process. That is a fact.

It should be known that teachers often augment their classroom texts with supplementary materials, and thus the impact of having out-of-date textbooks is much less than it would appear.

It should also be noted that these supplementary materials are often purchased by the teachers themselves or by efforts of the PTAs in our schools.

According to the Illinois Goal Assessment Program, science tests in this district show more than 50 percent of our students functioning in the top 50 percentile of the students across the state.

In an ever-changing field such as science, one could argue that new textbooks should be purchased every year to remain current. Our teachers use their updated knowledge and other teaching techniques to keep our students in the upper percentage of those tested.

Recently, your paper published a letter from a parent whose child now attends a parochial school in this area.

While we are aware that our parochial schools provide a very good education, not all parents can afford this alternative. This parent should also know that our district provides services that are not offered in parochial schools.

At the secondary level, our district offers services such as drivers' education, vocational classes, and many extracurricular activities such as band and athletics.

In addition to these, elementary students are offered a variety of services including special education, Chapter 1 and band.

While these services may not be of any importance to this parent, how many of our residents would support cutting these services to buy textbooks? Many of our students receive their college scholarships through these avenues, which aren't available in many parochial schools.

I would like our residents to know that genuine efforts are being made toward updating all of our textbooks and that the Granite City School District will always strive to provide our children with the highest quality education possible.

STEVE BALEN
Superintendent of schools
Granite City District 9

Facts kept from three aldermen

TO THE EDITOR:

The following is in response to a letter to the editor titled "Madison city dispatchers' complex duties deserve extra pay on holidays."

(This is) a clear case of being misinformed, and lack of communications. Not understanding the facts and/or receiving only bits and pieces of factual information causes rash responses and ill feelings. Hopefully, the following will help clarify the situation.

The truth is that Aldermen Hamm, Vrabec and Caffrey did vote no on the motion to increase the dispatchers' pay, which would cost the city about $5,000. This figure was presented to the council by the city comptroller. Now, here's the rest of the story.

The motion to spend $5,000 in pay, retroactively for the dispatchers, was questioned by Alderman Vrabec on the council floor, whereby Vrabec requested to table the issue. Vrabec's request was voted down and the original motion was brought to a vote and was carried by the majority.

Vrabec's intent was to table the motion and refer the situation to the Finance Committee, since the council had no forewarning of the ordinance prior to the council meeting.

Plus, knowing that spending $5,000 now, at a critical time when city finances were in jeopardy and eight city employee layoffs were in effect, may not be in the best interest of the city.

Much later, it was pointed out by Mike Myers, city editor of the *Granite City Press-Record*, that the actual overtime cost for the dispatchers was in the $600 range.

This factual information was never presented to the City Council during council session.

So, there you have it. The aldermen concerned didn't know, and we have found through various sources that (the letter writer) didn't have all the facts at hand when she submitted her comments to the press.

We all have previously supported the proposal to increase the dispatchers' pay. However, timing is the key in this issue. We were being told of significant financial problems resulting in the layoff of city employees.

it is unfortunate that this situation occurred but the principal problem still exists. When one is not given all the facts, how can one make a sound decision? Normally, a prudent person would ask for clarification ... and that's exactly what happened.

We believe that we, as representatives of the people, will continue to be kept in the shadows as long as the current leadership is in office.

We all believe that she is a concerned city employee and we give high praise to the entire dispatcher team for their dedication and positive influence upon the citizens of Madison.

These are the facts as we know them. You, the reader, must make your own judgment of our decisions. We're sure that you would have acted in the same fashion as we (did), given the same circumstances.

JOHN W. HAMM III
MICHAEL VRABEC
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Lifestyle

Valentine's Day sweet for seniors

Maxine Green

Maxine Green covers the Granite City and Nameoki Township area for the Press-Record/Journal. She can be contacted at 931-6256.

Sunday morning, Feb. 14, was Senior Sweetheart Sunday in the Mount Zion Baptist Church. Service was opened with a song by Elaine Rogers and a skit, "Light Your World," by Pamela and Cady Pinkston. All members 62 years of age or over were escorted down to the altar by Angie Nichelson and introduced by Lana Maue, who told bout events in the lives of each one.

Jason Hilson rolled the drums while Adam Moniz played the horn. Favorite songs of the group were sung by Terry Cook and Carolyn LeMaster of the Zionettes. Each senior present received a beautiful ceramic heart, containing a gift from the Lydia Circle. Mention was made of Harrett Phelps, a former teacher, who now resides in the Colonial Nursing Home. Pastor Sikes delivered a message on the Widow's Mite to 157.

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The Campaign Six Avon meeting was held on Thursday in the Avon office. After the opening welcome, new products were discussed and door prizes and car-pool drawings were held. A piece of jewelry was given to members having birthdays or anniversaries. Gold angel pins were given to representatives and gold cross pins with a diamond center were presented to President Club members. Attending were Cora Nance, Donna Johnson, Julia Lotzy, Winnie Pointer, Lillian Ruegge, Rose Coolen, Carol Gilland, Rosz Lux, Elaine Staton, Gladys Templeman, Chloe Denny, Tommie Myers, Debbie McElroy, Nadine Papp, Clarine Coggin, Gerri Clark, Bonnie Hunter, Wanda Gibson, Janice Watson, Ruth Ray, Gwen Little, Angela Adams, Eula McKee, Gertie Ashford, Carolyn Mifflin, Martha Becker, Kathy Crocker, Rhonda Panter, Brenda Hager, Eleanor White, Reba Sardner, Donna Williams, Tracy Scoggins, Jean Corsa, Vicki Gilmer, Deana Wiggins, Sharon Rollins, Donna Jones, Lois Hoy, Cindy Edwards, Katherine Waltermann and Barbara Ritkins.

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The February meeting of the Ruth Class of Calvary Baptist Church met Tuesday evening in the Fellowship Hall. Prayer requests were made for Glenn Knight, Boyd Wallis, Bernice Boyer's niece, John Morris, Pam Vasquez, Maxine Hoover's granddaughter, Brooks Weir, Dennis Morris, Lois Bradford, people on Wednesday night prayer list, and people on highways. Pauline Hall led in prayer and gave a devotional entitled "Sinners with a Capital 'S'", from Luke 18, verses 9-14; Proverbs 11-2; and James 1 verses 9-11. Ruth Dagon, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting. Treasurer's report was given by Pat Wallis. The January Bible Study was well attended. Cherr Chairman Dorothy Watkins sent two cards and special cards were sent to Merle Beaver, Maxie Stamps, Pam Vasquez, Dennis Morris and Virginia Nichols.

A Progressive Dinner from different countries was planned for March 25 meeting at the church at 5 p.m. An appetizer will be served by Norma Ross, salad by Ruth Dagon, main course by Pauline Hall, and dessert by Maxine Hoover.

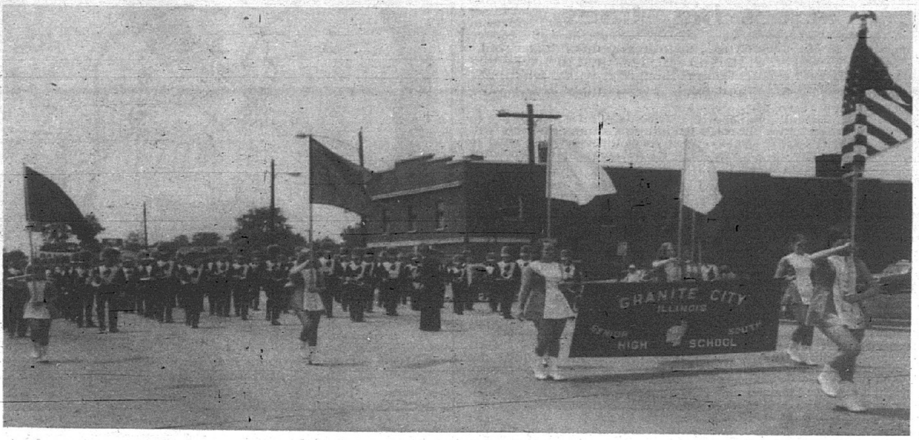
A Mother Daughter Banquet was tentatively planned for May with a possible date of either May 3 or 6. May 2 is Senior Adult Day in our church and seniors will have the service and a possible lunch may be planned. Games were in charge of Norma Ross with prizes being won by Dorothy Watkins, Pauline Hall and Pauline Weir with everyone present receiving a gift for Valentine's Day. Delicious refreshments were served by Gladys Hutson with the table centered with a beautiful Valentine cake and the table decorations were done by Pat Wallis in a Valentine theme. The next meeting will be March 2.

Those present were Betty Sutton, Bernice Boyer, Maxine Hoover, Pat Wallis, Ruth Dagon, Gladys Hutson, Eileen Badgett, Pauline Hall, Ruth Moser, Maureen Lewallen, Dorothy Watkins, Norma Ross, and the teacher, Pauline Weir.

High school band celebrates 50th season

March 4 concert will be special event

By Bob Slate
Staff writer



Members of the Warrior marching band participate in a May 1975 parade.

The Granite City High School concert band, under the direction of Dennis Meyer, has an ambitious program scheduled for its March 4 concert in the high school auditorium.

This is the band's 50th concert season.

The program includes Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture," Mailman's "Liturgical Music for Band," "Salvation Is Created" by Tschesnokoff, Heed's "In Storm and Sunshine," Verdi's "La Forza Del Destino," which will feature performances by alumni, "Benny Goodman in Concert" arranged by Scott, and concluding with Coward's "I'll See You Again."

"We're hoping to use this concert to make the people of Granite City aware that quality concerts have been given here for more than 50 years," Meyer said.

The concert series was initiated under longtime director Louis Meek in 1941.

"We had given concerts in the past, but only a couple a year, never as a series," Meek, now 84, said.

Meek served as band director for 37 years (1937-74). His love of music and his desire to pass that on to a younger generation motivated him to devote his life to scholastic band music.

"I have a lot of fond memories. That first year, I had no help and there were no private lessons except for the ones I gave for free," Meek remembers.

Under Meek's direction, the high school band played its first halftime show at a Warrior football game in 1937. Sixteen instrumentalists, including Meek, who played a trumpet, performed at the game.

Ten more members were added to the band that first year, and the stage was set for the group to grow to a high of 158 members in 1957. There are 81 members today.

At school athletic events, it is not uncommon for 140 to 150 students to perform, including the band, pom pons, flag and rifle squads.

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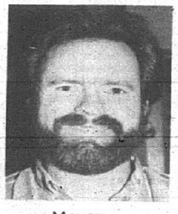
— Dennis Meyer
Band director

Meek



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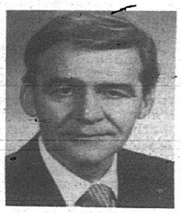

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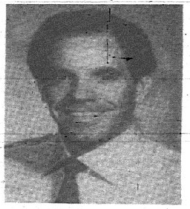

Owens

"A lot of people don't realize how much work goes into preparing for a football halftime show. The students put in 10 hours of rehearsal for every performance minute of the first halftime show," Meyer said.

"After that first show, hopefully, all that is left is polishing."

Among the innovations to the school district music curriculum introduced by Meek were a band program at the elementary school level, participation in interscholastic contests and a requirement that band students have an IQ (intelligence quotient) of 110 or more.

"Mr. Meek had an almost fanatical desire for perfection in his bands and that translated into a high level of excellence at Granite City High School," Meyer said.

History confirms Meyer's statement about Meek.

In 1938, the band was sent to the state contest as a "new band" and took first place. The following year, the band entered "Class A" competition and ranked second.

In 1940, the band took third-place honors in national competition in Kansas City, setting the stage for a series of five straight first-place finishes at the state level.

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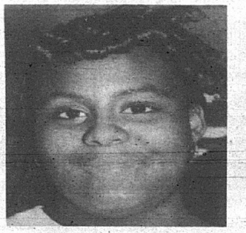
YOUTH FOCUS *Who is a hero to you and why?*

By Pam Doepke-Hurd.

(Asked of students at Madison Middle School, Venice Public School and Grigsby Junior High School.)



Stephanie Pollard

Tifen Luster

Glenn Tipton

Miyai Holmes

Chris Jones, Grigsby
"The person who is a hero to me is someone who is five years old and has AIDS. He is a hero to me because he knows he is going to die, but he is strong about it. I would say he is a hero and the other kids or adults with any kind of disease that will kill them.

Kyle Briggs, Grigsby
"I have chosen to write about my dad as my hero. I chose my dad because I look up to him for many reasons. The first reason is that he cares a lot about his family and kids. He has always taught me how important your family is. He has also given a lot of his time and experience to coach my athletic teams. Another reason is that he is respected not only as a citizen but as an educator in our community. My last reason is that he is a very educated man. He holds a bachelor's degree, master's degree and specialist's degree in education. He has shown me that with an education you can pursue most any job in life. I hope that through my education and athletic career that I will be as successful as my dad."

Glenn Tipton Madison
"My grandfather, Delmar Tipton, is my hero because he took the first John Deere tractor to Poplar Bluff, Mo."

Kate Jacobs, Grigsby
"My hero would have to be my sister. My sister will do anything for me. She has been a great sister to me. I would love to follow in her footsteps. Her name is Stephanie Ann Jacobs. She is the best. My sister is my 'hero.'"

Kindra Allen, Grigsby
"My Grandpa Allen is my hero. He taught me that if you worry all the time, your life will pass you by. When I was little, my grandpa took me out under the stars. He showed me the Big Dipper. I could talk to my grandpa about anything. When anyone was in trouble my grandpa was always there for them. He died of cancer when I was just 10. I'm glad we were close. My grandpa was a brilliant and wonderful man. He was and always will be my hero. He was someone I could look up to."

Ryan Relleke, Grigsby
"Babe Ruth is my hero because he came from a poor family, but he didn't let that stand in his way. People made fun of his size, but again he used it to his benefit to make him a great athlete. I respect him because he learned everything on his own without fancy coaching or set teams. Also he was good to children and shared his fame with them by making sure they had a better childhood than he had."

January Swope, Madison
"Mrs. Gabryshak, school principal, because she brought our school a long way. Thank you."

Daniel Kratzer, Grigsby
"My brother Scott is my hero and also my friend. He is two years older than me and has always tried to teach me things and help me with my homework when I don't understand it. We sometimes argue and fight, but we are still friends."

Andrew Oney, Grigsby
"My Uncle David is probably my hero. He's taught me to never give up. He was paralyzed and still farms and has a one-year-old boy. He let's me still come over now. When I come over he takes me fishing. My uncle is one of the best heros you could have."

Amanda Crabtree, Grigsby
"My mom is a hero to me for several reasons. She is always there when I need her. She doesn't let me do everything I want, but she is strict when needed. My mother understands me, and she let's me know it. She congratulates me when I have done good and she comforts me when I haven't done so good. Overall, my mom is a hero in my eyes."

Stephanie Pollard, Madison
"My hero is my mama because she raised all four of us by herself and taught us to respect adults and keep a job."

Dumaha Butler, Madison
"Mr. Albert Collins, eighth grade teacher, is my hero because he is someone I can really look up to. He is someone I can really depend on."

Tifen Luster, Madison
"My mother because she stood by me through hard times."

Miyai Holmes, Madison
"Dr. Martin Luther King because he tried to help black people and also white people to learn how to be equal and learn how to live together and to appreciate each other, not by the skin color."

Scott Mills, Grigsby
"I look up to and admire Pele, 'master of soccer.' As a boy in Brazil he worked night and day to become the master of the game. He was more dedicated to something than anyone I have ever seen. Not only was he a great soccer player, he was a great leader. For his dedication I admire Pele, soccer player and leader."

Ted Hall, Grigsby
"My friend Mike Norton is a hero to me. This summer we were up in a tree, and I was hanging from a limb. The limb broke, and I fell about five feet down and landed on a limb. I was hanging by my belt buckle. My best friend Mike Norton took my hand and pulled me up on my feet and saved me from a bad fall."

Heather Bahre, Grigsby
"I guess I have to say my hero is my mom. She has been divorced from my dad since I was about 2. Then when I was 5 or 6 she turned our lives around and went to college to be a nurse. She was in school for about seven years because she could only go part-time because of my sister and me. During that time it was rough but she pulled us through it. Now she's in the Air Force up at Scott as a second lieutenant. She delivers babies in the hospital. So even if you don't understand why my mom's a hero, I do: She's always been there for me no matter what, even if at the time I didn't realize it."

Laquita Watt, Venice
"My mother is my hero because she graduated high school on time even though she was three months' pregnant. She moved out on her own as soon as she could. She got herself a job even though she was a single mother. She raised me and took care of me the best that she knew how. She is always accomplishing something new. She is always trying to do right by people without letting them run over her. She believes strongly in God and tries to help me understand God. She is very understanding and sometimes patient. She isn't afraid to admit when she's wrong. She teaches me the facts of life plain and simple; she doesn't beat around the bush about things. She is my best friend. She tells me secrets that she never told anyone and I can tell her things too. She takes up for her family and fights for what's right. She is fair and reasonable. She understands that I can't always do right and sometimes lets me off the hook. These reasons and more are why she is every woman to me."

Jarita Johnson, Venice
"My mother is my hero. She is a great woman whom I love very much. My mother is a woman who can spread her love to four children and love just the same. She makes friends that are just like her, loving and caring. She is my hero because she's a nice person to be with and she's fun to be with. My mother brings out the potential in me and sometimes it helps. My mother is a wonderful lady and one day I think that she is going to be the mother of the year. When my sister was going to work, my mother was there. When we were in the church play, she

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Edgar plan would speed road repairs

Illinois Gov. Jim Edgar recently unveiled a proposal to speed up repairs on the nation's highway system and to stimulate the economy with the 126,000 new private sector jobs that will be created.

Edgar presented his proposal to the National Governor's Association (NGA) at its annual winter meeting. It was adopted by the NGA's Committee on Economic Development and Commerce, which Edgar chairs.

The proposal, titled Preventive Action to Repair and Restore (PARR), calls for fully funding the highway authorization for the current federal fiscal year, broadening the eligibility for use of the funds and expediting the process for federal approval.

"The PARR program reflects the essential linkage between a sound transportation infrastructure and a healthy economy. Equally important, the program can be implemented immediately to create jobs without requiring additional taxes," Edgar said.

The PARR program will give the states an additional $3 billion in highway funds during the current federal fiscal year, which ends September 30, 1993. This represents the shortfall between the amount authorized in the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 and the amount that was subsequently appropriated.

"This money has been sitting in the Highway Trust Fund unused, when it could be ised to generate 126,000 new jobs nationwide — half in the construction industry and half in other sectors of the economy — and to set economic development efforts in motion that can actually reduce the federal deficit," Edgar said.

By broadening the eligibility for the use if the additional funds, the states could use the $3 billion for a wider variety of projects.

"The states have the ability to get projects ready, and this will give them the tools they need to get the economy moving forward quickly," Edgar said.

Examples are single layer resurfacing and simple resurfacing for projects that do not involve high accident locations or require comprehensive envirornental assessments. States could also use the PARR funds for mass transit capital projects.

The Governor noted that an important benefit of doing more simple resurfacing is that it can prolong pavement and prevent more costly repairs.

Other features of the PARR program include giving the states the option to defer the 20-percent non-federal match with flexible terms for paying back the match in the future.

(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Guest singer — Tenor Bob Ellison sings at Blair School on Feb. 19 as part of a Black History Month program held at the school.

•Focus

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was there. When I was in a car accident, she gave me all the love she could give me. When I had to get stitches over my eye, she was there. When I had to be rushed to the hospital, she was there. She would do all she can to get what you need to make it through the day. She puts clothes on my back and shoes on our feet and food in our stomach. She takes care of her father and grandmother, goes over to their house to take care of them and I think that's a lot of work."

Angel King, Grigsby

"My heroes are all of my teachers I have had and will have. They are heroes to me because they have dedicated themselves to teach their students the skills they need for a job. These skills will give me an opportunity for a better future. They not only help me with school work but also with any problems I may have such as family problems or social problems. Sometimes I get selfish and don't want to learn, but they are there to push me, and I know it will work out for my benefit. I admire teachers greatly for all they put up with. I feel we should give them a big thank you. I sometimes think we don't need homework, but the teachers give us homework to help us learn. I would like to thank all of my teachers for their influence in my life."

Jeremy Gutierrez, Grigsby

"My hero is Maurice Richard. He is my hero because we both play hockey. I like him because he never gave up. He always played with a fighting spirit. Maurice got a chance to try out for the Montreal Canadians. He made the team and got the chance to play for his idol, Toe Blake. Maurice was so fast he got the nickname "Rocket Richard." One year Maurice got 50 goals in 50 games. Only four other people have done that. He played half that season with a hurt knee. Maurice also set other milestones. One of his most famous was when he scored 500 goals. Maurice was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame. Maurice was a great hockey player and will be remembered always."

Anthony Williams, Venice

"My hero is Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. because if it wasn't for him, black people would not be free today. With the help of others, Dr. King became a big success in history. But as always, he couldn't do it by himself. He fought for all blacks to be free so that white and black could go to the same school, eat together, sleep together and drink the same water. Dr. Martin Luther King had a dream that all people would be created equal. Not just white, but black, blue, purple or green. He had a dream that black and white will walk hand in hand someday. He traveled all over the world preaching the gospel, telling people how he felt about the way blacks were treated."

Tax donations go to Alzheimer's research

For the eighth straight year, Illinois taxpayers can contribute to Alzheimer's disease research through their 1992 state income tax returns, said Dr. John R. Lumpkin, state health director.

Anyone filing a state income tax form can donate to the Alzheimer's Disease Research Fund, which is administered by the department.

Taxpayers can make a tax-deductible contribution of $1 or more to the Alzheimer's fund by indicating an amount on line 15c of the IL-1040 income tax form. The amount pledged will either be deducted from any refund due or be added to the amount owed.

"We ask that taxpayers once again consider this worthy cause as they prepare their state income tax returns," Lumpkin said.

"Each contribution to this fund will assist Illinois scientists in *their search for more effective ways to diagnose and treat this* debilitating and deadly disease that afflicts more than 200,000 persons in our state."

More than $1 million has been contributed to the Alzheimer's fund over the past seven years. The funds have been distributed to 50 Illinois researchers based on recommendations by the 26-member Alzheimer's Disease Act Advisory Committee.

Alzheimer's is an incurable, neurological, age-related disorder that deteriorates the mental faculties and impairs thinking and behavior.

Early symptoms include memory loss, shortened attention span and a decrease in learning ability. The cause is unknown and, currently, no vaccine or measure exists to protect against the disease.

To be assured of remaining on the IL-1040 tax form, the Alzheimer's Disease Research Fund must receive a minimum of $100,000 in contributions by Oct. 1.

The Alzheimer's fund has been successful in reaching the $100,000 threshold every year since it was placed on the state income tax form in 1986.

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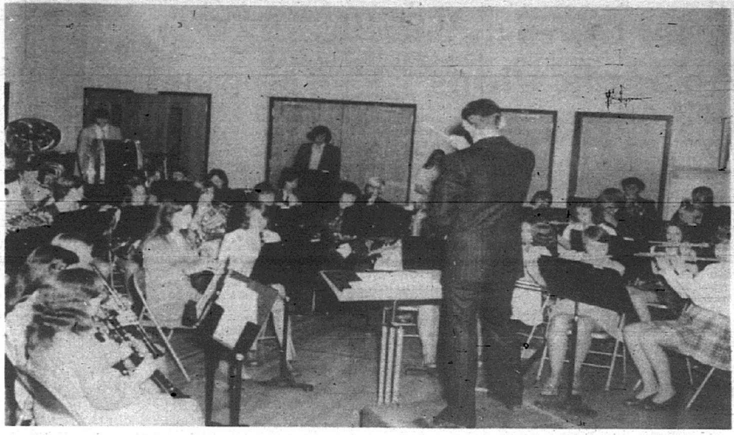

Band director Robert Todoroff leads the Granite City High School North band in 1974.

Members of the Band Parents Association at Granite City High School make alterations to band uniforms over the summer of 1969 for new and growing band members.

Members of the Granite City High School band practice in the band room in 1970.

•Band

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"We quit going to state after 1946 because there just wasn't a kick in it any more," Meek said.

That was when he initiated annual tours for the band, which has since traveled to such places as Washington, D.C., and Orlando, Fla.

Other high school band directors over the years have included Robert "Dan" Todoroff at High School North, which existed from 1973 to 1983, Terry Wafler, who took over from Meek in 1974, and Joe Owens, who became assistant director in 1968 and currently teaches at the junior high school level.

Tickets for the Thursday, March 4, concert, which begins at 7:30 p.m., will be available at the door. The cost is $1 for adults and 50 cents for students and children.

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If a person is injured and he is able to show that another party was negligent, this may not be sufficient to establish liability. The person who was harmed will also have to demonstrate that the wrongdoer's negligence was a "proximate cause" of the injury. A "proximate cause" is one which produces the injury through a "continuous sequence of events" with no subsequent independent act causing the harm. A recent case will help illustrate this requirement of proximate cause.

In this matter, a woman was hospitalized for surgery. She was placed on an operating room table, and an independently employed nurse knocked over an IV pole with a glass bottle attached. The bottle landed on the woman's mouth and caused dental injuries. The victim sued the hospital and alleged negligence on its part in using a glass IV bottle rather than a soft plastic bag.

The hospital attempted to have the case dismissed on the ground that the use of the glass IV bottle was not a "proximate cause" of the plaintiff's injuries. The hospital argued that the independently employed nurse was an "intervening cause." It felt the independent act of the nurse in knocking over the pole was the proximate cause of the injury rather than any negligence which could be attributed to the hospital.

The Court agreed with the hospital's position and granted a summary judgment in favor of the medical facility. The Appellate Court affirmed the decision of the trial court, and noted that the proximate cause was the independent act of the nurse rather than the hospital's use of the glass bottle. The Court went on to state that even if the hospital were negligent here, its negligence in using a glass bottle rather than a plastic bag merely furnished a condition which made the injury possible. It was the independent act of the nurse in knocking over the pole which was the "proximate cause" of the injury. Thus, there was no liability on the part of the hospital.

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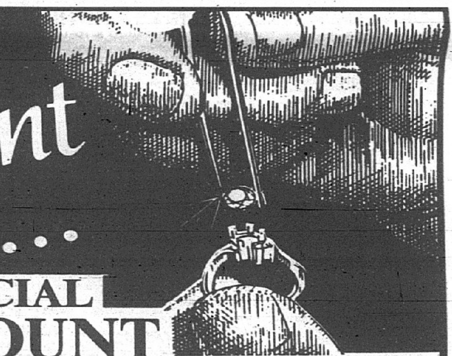

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Obituaries

Shirley Brewner

Shirley Mae (Gentry) Brewner, 55, of Granite City, formerly of Edwardsville, died at 2:38 p.m. Monday, Feb. 22, 1993, at her home. She had been ill for seven months.

Born in Tuckerman, Ariz., on July 31, 1937, she had been a resident of Granite City for 39 years and was an electrician for McDonnell Aircraft.

She was of the Lutheran faith. A member and three-time president of VFW Post 113 Auxiliary, she was past president of District 12.

Survivors include her husband, Ira E. Brewner Sr., whom she married Oct. 16, 1954, in Edwardsville; two daughters, Sherri D. Reyes of San Francisco and Sandra M. Thacker of Granite City; a son, Ira E. Brewner Jr.; three brothers, Charles LaBarge and Tommy LaBarge, both of St. Charles, Mo., and Roy Pritchard of Arizona; four sisters, Pauline Herring, Carol Newheart and Rosann Hoffmeister, all of St. Charles, and Linda Land of Michigan; and seven grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James L. and Rose (Walker) Gentry.

Yhe family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., Granite City, where a VFW Auxiliary service will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, with a eulogy following at 3:30 p.m. As she requested, her remains were cremated.

Memorials are suggested for the family.

Barbara Archer

Barbara J. (Meeder) Archer, 67, of Granite City died at 11 p.m. Monday, Feb. 22, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She had been ill for one week.

Born in Potterville, Mich., on Aug. 21, 1925, she had resided in Granite City for 41 years. For 25 years, she was a beautician at Barbara's Style Salon. She was of the Protestant faith and a lifetime member of Eastern Star Chapter 413.

Survivors include three daughters, Kristin Ann Nicholson, Keri Gae Wilkinson and Kayla Jen Hutchings, all of Granite City; two sons, Eric Jon Archer and Kyle Meeder Archer, both of Granite City; a sister, Ann Burley of Naples, Fla.; two brothers, Jack Meeder of Mancelona, Mich., and John Meeder of Bellaire, Mich.; her stepmother, Vivian Meeder of Eaton Rapids, Mich.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Mabel (Heathe) Meeder, and a brother, Richard Meeder.

There will be no visitation. As per her wishes, she was cremated. A memorial service will be held at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, at 11 a.m. Friday, with the Rev. Bryan Hagler officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at Werner Chapel.

Memorials may be given to the Alzheimer's Association.

Frank Lindsay

Frank A. Lindsay, 89, of Pontoon Beach died at 10:40 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 24, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City, where he had been a patient for one week.

Born in Stewart County, Tenn., he had been a resident of Pontoon Beach for 17 years. He was employed for 50 years as a mechanical foreman at General Steel Industries, retiring in 1965, and also worked as a custodian for a Granite City bank for 12 years. He was a member of Pontoon Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes E. (Phelps) Lindsay; two daughters, Nigel Lindblad of Marietta, Ga., and Nina Rae Howison of Fulton, Mo.; one son, Walter Speece of Sparta, Ill.; two sisters, Irene Dawes of Granite City and Nina Keel of Dover, Tenn.; two brothers, W.J. Lindsay of Dover and Benard Lindsay of Madison; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Moss and Mary Elizabeth (Rassman) Lindsay.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. Friday at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, with the Rev. Ed Hart officiating. Burial will be at Short Cemetery, Cottage Hills.

Memorials are suggested for the Pontoon Baptist Church Building Fund.

Irene Orrick

Irene Hattie (Ijames) Orrick, 82, of Granite City, formerly of California and of O'Fallon, Mo., died at 3:20 p.m. Monday, Feb. 22, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she had been a patient since Feb. 15. She had been ill since late October.

Born in Mill Spring, Mo., on July 5, 1910, she had resided in Granite City since 1929. She was a homemaker and of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include her daughter, Claudean Weeks of Burbank, Calif.; a sister, Alieen Orrick of Piedmont, Mo.; two brothers, Belvia Ijames of Cabool, Mo., and Charles Lee Ijames of Rancho Kookamonga, Calif.; and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Claude Orrick; her parents, Charlie and Elizabeth (Davis) Ijames; one sister and one brother.

Visitation will be held from 4:30 to 8 p.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, where services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, with the Rev. Leon Belt officiating. BUrial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Cargon.

Memorials are suggested for the church or charity of the donor's choice.

Lula Riddle

Lula E. (Taylor) Riddle, 85, of Madison died at 6:58 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 20, 1993, at Collinsville Care Center, where she had been a patient since Feb. 18.

Born Jan. 18, 1908, she was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her son, Arthur Douglas, who died Jan. 13, 1992.

Arrangements are pending at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, 931-8000.

Trivia

Granite City Steel, a division of National Steel, employs approximately 2,300 hourly steelworkers and approximately 600 salaried employees.

Edwardsville set for rush of annexation applications

A rush of applicants seeking fire protection from Edwardsville is expected with an annexation offer for residents dropped by the Pin Oak Fire District.

Cheryl Porter, the city's assistant director of development administration, said the preannexation agreement has two important features. Property owners who sign up before June 1 will be able to summon firefighters by dialing 911. After that, they will have to dial the Edwardsville department directly.

Also, petitioners whose properties are contiguous to the city but do not want to proceed with annexation can be forced to do so under court order.

That would prevent holdouts from blocking efforts to annex neighboring property that isn't contiguous to the city. State law prohibits municipalities from annexing land that is not contiguous.

In December, Madison County 911 Coordinator Dave Whipple notified about 600 residents in unincorporated areas they were not in a fire protection district. Many of the homeowners are on the outskirts of Edwardsville and had been covered by the Pin Oak Fire District.

Should they call firefighters to their homes, the residents would be billed $1,600 for every fire or emergency call. Help may or may not arrive, either, as Edwardsville is not required to respond to out-of-town calls.

The City Council approved Tuesday annexation of three more properties northeast of the city. All the property owners once had fire protection from Pin Oak.

The land of Frank S. Wolf of the 1100 block of Illinois Avenue was annexed, and that allowed Theodore J. Hoppe of the 200 block of Wyandotte Street to become contiguous and be annexed. A third neighbor, Eugene B. Ballentine, also of the 200 block of Wyandotte Street, was voted in as well.

— from the Alton Telegraph

Hospice offers series of programs on grief

Hospice of Madison County, a department of St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City, is offering its "Bridges" grief workshop on three consecutive Wednesday afternoons, March 3, 10 and 17, from 1:30 to 3:30.

The workshop will meet in the Hospice office located on the fifth floor of the Doctors Wing of the medical center, 2100 Madison Ave.

The workshop is open to anyone who has lost a loved one during the past year. There is no charge to attend, but registration is required by Feb. 26.

Group facilitators are Melba Boyd, MSW, and Nancy Kaprelian, Hospice bereavement coordinators. To register, persons may call the Hospice office at 798-3399.

"Bridges" offers intensive grief support and education to individuals who have suffered losses of loved ones in the past year. Participants share their grief with others who have experienced similar losses of spouses, children, parents, friends and others. Participants will learn how to cope with their grief and to readjust their lives.

The workshop is open to the public as well as to Hospice of Madison County family members.

Funeral services

Area deaths reported in this week's Sunday and Wednesday newspapers include:

ANGLE, Ellis F. "Hank," 35, of Granite City died at 11:01 p.m. Friday, Feb. 19, 1993, in the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Visitation was Tuesday at Davis Funeral Home, Granite City. Services were held Wednesday at Holy Family Catholic Church, Granite City, by the Rev. Thomas Wise. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon. Memorials to Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, 7230 Carondolet, St. Louis, Mo. 63105, or the Ellis "Hank" Angle Tribute Fund.

BANKS, Albert Jr., 49, of Madison died Friday, Feb. 19, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City. Services were held Wednesday at Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis. Burial was at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis County.

BERGER, Theresa V. (Llewellyn), 86, of Belleville, formerly of Granite City, died at 10:25 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, 1993, at Memorial Convalescent Center, Belleville. Private services were held Monday at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, Granite City, by the Rev. Doug Rose. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Memorials to First Assembly of God Church Building Fund or Missions Fund.

BERRY, Ruby Pearl, 45, of Venice died Monday, Feb. 15, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City. Her survivors include sisters, Dorese Anderson and Mitchell Pierce, and her mother, Louise Anderson. Visitation was held Friday and services were held Saturday at New Salem Baptist Church, Venice, the Rev. John Williams officiating. Burial was at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt. Arrangements were by Nash Funeral Home, East St. Louis.

COOKE, Marian Lee (Stanton), 64, of Granite City died at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at her home. Visitation was Wednesday at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, where services were held at 10 a.m. today by the Rev. Don Stratton. Burial was at Valhalla Cemetery, St. Louis. Memorials to Hospice of Madison County, Granite City.

CULPEPPER, James Taylor, 65, of Big Sandy, Tenn., formerly of Granite City, died Saturday, Feb. 6, 1993, at home. Services were held Feb. 8 at First Baptist Church, Big Sandy, by the Rev. Bill Holbrook. Burial was at Benton Memorial Gardens in Tennessee. Arrangements were by Stockdale Funeral Home, Big Sandy.

DAYTON, Chester O., 80, of Granite City died at 3:38 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at Wood River Township Hospital. A memorial service is to be held. Arrangements are pending at Elias-Smith Funeral Home, Godfrey, 465-3571.

DUNAHEE, Jessie Artie (Miller), 70, of Collinsville died Thursday, Feb. 18, 1993, at her home. Services were held Saturday at Herr Funeral Home, Collinsville, by the Rev. Robert Haslam. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, Collinsville.

FLEMING, Charles Willard Sr., 68, of Belleville died at 10:45 p.m. Friday, Feb. 19, 1993, at Castlehaven Nursing Center, Swansea. Memorial services were held Monday at Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Belleville, by the Rev. Jane Henson. Arrangements were by Kassly Colonial Mortuary, Fairview Heights. Memorials to Alzheimer's Disease Research Center, 660 S. Euclid, St. Louis, Mo. 63110-1093.

FRAZIER, Ruth M. (Puhse), 89, of Granite City died at 2:45 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. As she requested, her remains were cremated. There will be private graveside services at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon, with the Rev. Rose Hermonat officiating. Arrangements are by Davis Funeral Home, Granite City. Memorials to St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ, Granite City.

GERINGER, Lottie E. (Stiers), 83, of Granite City died Thursday, Feb. 18, 1993, at Rosewood Care Center, Alton. Services were held Saturday at Toedtmann-Grosse Funeral Home, Hermann, Mo. Local arrangements were by Irwin Chapel, Granite City. Memorials are suggested for Best Cemetery.

HALEY, Ronald E. "Harley," 35, of Granite City was pronounced dead at 12:43 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1993, at St. Mary's Hospital emergency room in East St. Louis. Services were held Monday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, by the Rev. Cass Johnson. Burial was at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis County. Memorials to the family are suggested.

HARBISON, Eva" Dean (Pogue), 65, of Granite City died at 1:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 22, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. There is no visitation. A memorial service will be held at 7 p.m. today, Feb. 25, at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, 2200 Grand Ave., Granite City, by the Rev. William Davis. As she requested, her body was donated to Washington University. Arrangements are by Irwin Chapel, Granite City.

KLUG, Edna Mae (Gerkin), 73, of Granite City, formerly of Mitchell, died Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Services were held Wednesday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, by the Rev. Henry Crippen. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

MOOREHEAD, Willie Jr., 45, of East St. Louis was pronounced dead at 1:18 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1993, at home. Services were held Wednesday at Bibleway Deliverance Church, Venice, by the Rev. Reggis Fields. Burial was at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt. Arrangements were by Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis.

ORTOLAN, Theresa R. (Robison), 79, of Madison, formerly of Granite City, died at 11:55 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Visitation was held Tuesday at Mercer Mortuary, Granite City. Services were held Wednesday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Madison, by the Rev. Jim Keefner. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon. Memorials to St. Mary's Catholic Church.

PANTAGIS, James, 72, of Madison died at 10:45 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City. Visitation was Sunday at Mercer Mortuary, Granite City. Services were held Monday at Sts. Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church, Belleville, by the Rev. Emmanuel Hatzidakis. Burial was at St. Matthew's Cemetery, St. Louis. Memorials to the church.

PHELPS, Arlene L. (Simmers), 86, of Granite City died at 9:23 a.m. Friday, Feb. 19, 1993, at home. Services were held Monday at Morgan Funeral Home, Advance, Mo. Burial was at Bollinger County Cemetery. Irwin Chapel, Granite City, was in charge of local arrangements.

POPILCHAK, the Rev. Nick Allan, 35, of Granite City died at 7:53 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Visitation was Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City. Services were held Wednesday at Grace Baptist Church, Granite City, by the Rev. Bob Jones. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

SCHERIGER, June D. (Thompson), 71, of Granite City died at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 19, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Services were held Monday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, by the Rev. Ben Leonard. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Memorials to DAV Auxiliary 53.

SHARP, Mrs. Shirley A., 30, of Madison died Thursday, Feb. 11, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City. She was taken Saturday, Feb. 20, to Marks, Miss., for services there and burial at Jasland Cemetery, Jonestown, Coahoma County, Miss. Local arrangements were by Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis.

SIMPSON, Jack Crabdree, 64, a Granite City resident since 1946, died at 1:45 a.m. Saturday Feb. 20, 1993. Survivors include his wife, Constance (Macios) Simpson, whom he married June 30, 1970. Visitation was Monday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City. Mass was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart of Jesus Polish National Catholic Church, Madison, by the Rev. Edmund Mlynarczyk. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Memorials to Sacred Heart of Jesus Polish National Catholic Church or Hospice of Madison County.

STOGSDILL, Edna D. (Anderson), 54, of Pacific, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 5:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 22, 1993, at St. John's Mercy Hospital, Washington, Mo. Visitation was Wednesday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., Granite City, where services were held at 10 a.m. today by the Rev. Evans. Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. today at Cummins Cemetery, Alexander County, Ill. Memorials are suggested for the family.

SYKES, Bertha (Word), 93, of Granite City, formerly of Madison, died at 6:06 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Visitation was Wednesday at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, where services will be held at 1:30 p.m. today by the Rev. Milton Roe. Burial will be at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

THOMASON, Charles David, 89, of Cuba, Mo., died Saturday, Feb. 20, 1993, at Missouri Baptist Hospital, Sullivan, Mo. Services were held Monday at Britton Funeral Home Chapel, Cuba, Mo., by the Rev. Jerry Brown.

WAITS, Barbara (Lane), 53, of Carlyle, Ill., formerly of Granite City, died at 4 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at Carlyle Healthcare Center. Visitation was Wednesday at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, where services were held at 11:30 a.m. today by the Rev. Henry Crippen. Burial will be at Buck Road Cemetery, Glen Carbon.

WICKAM, Frances B. (O'Shia), 64, of Winona, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 3 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, 1993, at Ozark Medical Center, West Plains, Mo. Services were held Tuesday at Werner Chapel for Funerals, Pontoon Beach, by the Rev. Robert DeGrand. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Masses are suggested as memorials.

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Isaak 50 years

Marcel and Evelyn Isaak celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Jan. 23, 1993.

A reception was held at Jerry's Restaurant in Granite City.

Marcel Isaak and the former Evelyn Kinney were married at the Marias Shrine in St. Louis on Jan. 23, 1943.

He is retired from Granite City Steel, where he worked for 38 1/2 years.

They are parents of eight children, Teana Hubbard, Dennis Isaak, Shryl Kohrumel, Randall Isaak, Timothy Isaak and Kenneth Isaak, all of Granite City, Connie Sturmon of Bolingbrook, Ill., and Barbara Jackson of Las Vegas, Nev. They have 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Crane-Russell

Heather Crane, daughter of Gary and Carol Crane of Granite City, and Matthew Russell, son of Bill and Judy Russell of Granite City, have announced their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

The bride-to-be is a 1987 graduate of Granite City High School and is a senior at Middle Tennessee State University, majoring in social science.

Her fiance is a 1987 graduate of Granite City High School and is a junior at Middle Tennessee State University, majoring in record-industry management..

The couple is planning a May 15, 1993, wedding at the Church of God, Fairview Heights.

Andrews Smith

Kara Kaye Andrews, daughter of Kenneth and Judy Andrews of Granite City, and Pvt. 2 Neale Rodney Smith, son of Bob Smith of Granite City and Donna Hall of Staunton, have announced their engagement.

Andrews, of Granite City, will graduate this year from Granite City High School.

Smith is a 1992 graduate of Staunton High School. He is in the U.S. Army, stationed at Fort Drum, N.Y., as a crew chief on a Huey helicopter. He is currently in Somalia.

They are planning a July 24, 1993, wedding at the First Assembly of God Church in Granite City.

Andrews Mengarelli

Laura R. Andrews, daughter of Ken and Judy Andrews of Granite City and Martin J. Mengarelli, son of Mario and Eleanor Mengarelli of Chicago, have announced their engagement.

Andrews, of Granite City, has a bachelor of science degree from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and a juris doctor degree from Northern Illinois University in DeKalb. She is an attorney with the Crowder and Taliana law firm of Edwardsville.

Mengarelli has a bachelor's degree from Loyola University and is a law student at Northern Illinois University.

They are planning an August wedding at the First Assembly of God in Granite City.

Orahood Hackethal

Sherilyn Orahood, the daughter of Connie and Dane Mills of Granite City and Allen and Vicki Orahood of St. Charles, Mo., and Charles Hackethal, son of Dave and Jackie Hackethal of Granite City, have announced their engagement.

Orahood, of Granite City, is a graduate of Granite City High School. She is employed by Gateway Federal Employees Credit Union of St. Louis as a teller.

Hackethal is a graduate of Marquette High School in Alton and is self-employed as an independant drywaller.

The wedding is planned for June 12 at the First Assembly of God Church in Granite City.

Sherilyn Orahood and Charles Hackethal

Braundmeier on dean's list

Kyle J. Braundmeier, son of Bob and Carol Braundmeier of Granite City, was named to the dean's list for the fall semester 1992 at Northeast Missouri State University in Kirksville.

Braundmeier is a junior majoring in music education; he recently joined Phi Mu Alpha honorary music fraternity. He is in his third year as a member of the NEMO singers.

Schaake Sprankle

Patricia J. Schaake, the daughter of Ronald and Joann Schaake of Edwardsville, is announcing her engagement to Glen J. Sprankle, son of Glen and Dona Sprankle of Granite City.

Schaake is a 1991 graduate of Edwardsville High School and is currently enrolled as a mass communications major at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Sprankle is a 1986 graduate of Granite City High School and a 1991 graduate of Belleville Area College with an associate degree in business management. He is employed at Madison Metal Services.

An Aug. 13, 1994, wedding is being planned.

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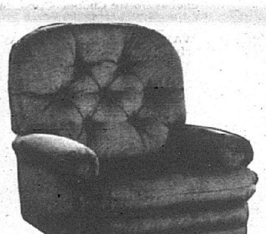

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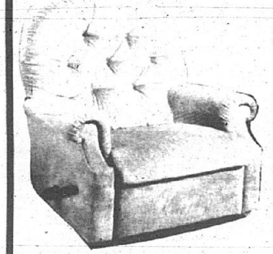

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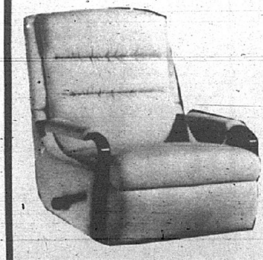

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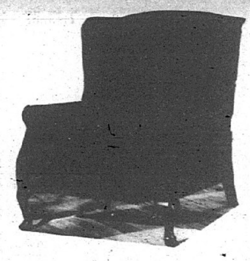

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Davis wins geography bee

Brian Davis, a sixth-grade student at Wilson Elementary School, won the school-level competition of the National Geography Bee on Jan. 14 and a chance at a $25,000 college scholarship.

The school-level bee, at which students answered oral questions on geography, was the first round in the fifth annual National Geography Bee, sponsored by *National Geographic World*, the Society's magazine for children, and by Amtrak.

The kickoff for this year's bee was the week of Jan. 4, with thousands of schools around the United States, the District of Columbia and five U.S. territories participating.

The school winners, including Brian, will now take a written test; up to 100 of the top scorers in each state and territory will be eligible to compete in their state bee April 2.

The National Geographic Society with its co-sponsors will provide an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, D.C., for state champions and their teacher escorts to participate in the National Geography Bee national championship on May 25 and 26.

The first-place national winner will receive a $25,000 college scholarship; the second-place finisher, a $15,000 scholarship; and the third-place entrant, a $10,000 scholarship.

The National Geographic Society, with nearly 10 million members, has as its mission the "increase and diffusion of geographic knowledge."

In addition to the bee, the Society sponsors a number of other geography education initiatives, including the Summer Geography Institute for teachers, the National Geographic Society Education Foundation, and the Geographic Alliance Network, which is currently working in almost every state and in Puerto Rico.

Military

Steven Huffstutler

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Steven L. Huffstutler, son of Gale L. and Cheryl L. Huffstutler of Granite City, is currently aboard the aircraft carrier USS Ranger, homeported in San Diego and midway through a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific, Indian Ocean and Persian Gulf as part of the aircraft carrier USS Ranger Battle Group.

Most recently, the USS Ranger arrived off the coast of Somalia to support the Operation Restore Hope relief effort. The fact that the USS Ranger battle group was already forward-deployed to the Persian Gulf allowed it to be ordered to Somalia on short notice. This operation is a textbook example of the mobility, flexibility and capability of a forward-deployed Navy—Marine Corps team.

Elements of the battle group have participated in several joint exercises, including training with Russian naval forces in the Persian Gulf. Additionally, elements of the battle group are conducting operations in the Persian Gulf in support of Operation Southern Watch, which enforces a no-fly zone over southern Iraq.

Huffstutler has visited ports in Yokosuka, Japan; Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates; and Pusan, Korea.

While in Pusan, more than 100 shipmates volunteered their time to repair an orphanage and to hand out Project Handclasp materials, including bandages, toothpaste and soap. Project Handclasp is a Navy-wide program to distribute donated goods to lesser developed countries. Also, the ship's medical and dental personnel provided check-ups for the orphans there.

The 1988 graduate of Granite City Senior High School joined the navy in September 1989.

Raymond Grieve

Airman Raymond A. Grieve has graduated from the ground radio communications specialist course at Keesler Air Force Base in Biloxi, Miss.

Course graduates learned to install and maintain high-powered ground communications equipment, including transmitters, single and multichannel receivers, transceivers and recorders.

Grieve is the son of Robert L. and Lenora Grieve of Madison.

He is a 1989 graduate of Marquette High School.

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Senators stop Warriors' bid for state

Matmen conclude year with sectional title loss

By Tony Panozzo
Staff writer

After clearing its first hurdle Tuesday night, the Granite City wrestling team collided into top-heavy Springfield and lost 27-24 in the Granite City Class AA Team Sectional title match.

Springfield, which advanced to Saturday's state team tournament in Normal, came back from a 21-3 deficit on the strength of performances from its upper-weight wrestlers and clinched the dual with a win in the 275-pound weight class. The Senators ended Granite City's streak of 27 straight dual wins this year and will appear at state as a team for the first time.

Granite City, aiming for its second straight appearance at state, finished 27-1 after defeating Carbondale 33-20 in a preliminary dual. Springfield, now 22-1, got to the title match with a 28-19 win over Edwardsville.

"It feels great," Springfield coach Bob Nesbit said. "It's the first time we've come out of the regional and got this far."

After losing the first five of six matches to Granite City, Springfield rallied and won six of the next seven. The match came down to the heavyweight bout between Granite City freshman Chris Janek and Springfield senior Howard Peters. Peters scored on a reversal and two back points to win 4-0.

"He wrestled very smart," Nesbit said. "I thought the match would be close enough to where it would come down to heavyweight."

Springfield 27, GRANITE CITY 24
103 — Chris Hogan (GC) pinned Brad Mitchell, 1:05. 112 — Tim Fulkerson (GC) def. Troy Catron, 5-4. 119 — Pat Scheffer (GC) def. Troy Tranquilli, 15-3. 125 — Tory Clay (SP) def. T.J. Slay, 4-3. 130 — John Venne (GC) t.f. Kurt Haager, 16-0. 135 — Jamie Kirby (GC) def. Ryan Ramsey, 13-8. 2. 140 — Shane Sullivan (SPR) def. Jeff Estrada, 9-7. 145 — Chris Kuenle (SPR) def. Joe Scott, 5-0. 152 — Keith Naudain (SPR) pinned Mike Grubbs, 3:09. 160 — Joe Bee (SPR) pinned Tony Buchek, 1:15. 171 — Jeff Witter (GC) def. Jeff Little, 7-3. 189 — Ardallion Jordan (SPR) def. Andy Richards, 6-2. 275 — Howard Peters (SPR) def. Chris Janek, 4-0.

Granite City coach Mike Garland agreed, although he was hoping for a different outcome. Garland was expecting his team to build up a greater lead than it did in the lower weights, a Warrior trademark.

But the Warriors suffered two losses by fall in the upper weights and took an unexpected loss at 125, where Springfield's Tory Clay scored a late takedown and defeated Granite City's T.J. Slay 4-3. Both had competed at last weekend's individual state tournament.

"I knew we were in trouble after that match," Garland said. "We knew we had to pick it up somewhere along the way. I'm not blaming T.J., he just didn't wrestle very smart. Clay's a good, tough wrestler.

"The big difference in this match was we got pinned twice, and that hasn't happened all year. That's what really sealed our fate. It finally caught up

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(Staff photo by MARK VON BROCK)
Warrior wrestler T.J. Slay battled his headgear as well as his opponent in his win over Palos Hills Stagg's Dave Hoenig at Saturday's individual state tournament.

Preliminary win sends matmen to title match

By Tony Panozzo
Staff writer

Luck appeared to be going Granite City's way Tuesday night when the Warriors began the Class AA Team Sectional with a convincing 33-20 dual win over Carbondale.

The Terriers, who finished the year 17-3, bowed to the Warriors for the second time this season. Granite City defeated Carbondale in the first meet of the year, but the Terriers were without a full lineup.

On Tuesday, Carbondale brought along senior state qualifier Jesse Thorton, who placed fourth at the individual state tournament last weekend after missing most of the season because of ineligibility. A

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Schedule

Thursday, Feb. 25
BOYS BASKETBALL: Madison vs. Lebanon at Trenton Wesclin Class A Regional, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 26
BOYS BASKETBALL: Granite City at Belleville West, 6:15 p.m. Venice vs. Madison or Lebanon at Trenton Wesclin Class A Regional, 7:30 p.m. HOCKEY: Mid-States Club Hockey Association semifinals, Granite City vs. Eureka at South County Rink, 9:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 27
HOCKEY: Mid-States Club Hockey Association semifinals, Granite City vs. Eureka at Affton, 9:15 p.m.

Journal Writers' Poll
Boys Basketball

Large Schools

1. De Soto (1)	22-1
2. East St. Louis (2)	22-3
3. St. Charles West (4)	21-1
4. Vashon (3)	17-5
5. Riverview Gardens (5)	16-6
6. DeSmet (6)	20-4
7. Roosevelt (7)	19-3
8. Webster Groves (9)	18-6
9. Edwardsville (NR)	17-6
10. Collinsville (8)	17-7

Others receiving votes: Chaminade, Hazelwood Central

Small Schools

1. Jennings (1)	20-3
2. Troy (2)	20-3
3. Festus (3)	16-5
4. Cardinal Ritter (4)	16-9
5. Red Bud (5)	20-5
6. Gibault (6)	18-7
7. Lutheran North (7)	12-10
8. **MADISON** (9)	12-10
9. Whitfield (NR)	13-10
10. Hancock (NR)	16-6

Others receiving votes: Duchesne, Berkeley, Althoff, Rosary, Lutheran South

Journal Writers' Poll
Girls Basketball

Large Schools

1. St. Joseph's (1)	21-0
2. House Springs (2)	20-3
3. Francis Howell (4)	21-1
4. Francis Howell North (3)	20-3
5. Cor Jesu (5)	18-5
6. Lincoln (6)	21-5
7. Parkway West (7)	17-6
8. Nerinx Hall (8)	18-7
9. Hazelwood Central (NR)	14-8
10. East St. Louis (9)	12-6

Others receiving votes: GRANITE CITY, Normandy, Oakville

Small Schools

1. Incarnate Word (1)	22-2
2. Wellston (3)	21-1
3. Troy (4)	17-6
4. (tie) Visitation (5)	16-6
4. (tie) Wesclin (2)	24-4
6. Rosati-Kain (6)	14-8
7. John Burroughs (8)	21-3
8. Principia (8)	19-3
9. Lutheran North (7)	16-7
10. Kennedy (10)	17-5

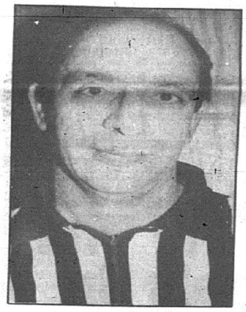
Journal Writers' Poll
Wrestling

Week of Feb. 19-26

1. GRANITE CITY (2)	59
2. Hazelwood East (3)	55
3. Francis Howell (1)	46
4. Oakville (5)	42
5. McCluer North (4)	32
6. Parkway Central (7)	28
7. Francis Howell North (6)	24
8. Fox (8)	19
9. Wentzville (10)	16
10. Lafayette (NR)	5

Also receiving votes: Cahokia

Althoff picks ex-Lady Warrior coach to head soccer program



Haig Nighohossian
New Althoff girls coach

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

It's official — Althoff High School is starting a girls soccer program.

Head coach Haig Nighohossian and assistant Jim Schwab were introduced in a press conference Monday at the school. The Crusaders will play a 12- to 14-game varsity schedule this spring, with practice starting March 8.

"WE HAVE TWO very knowledgeable individuals who are coming together to start the program here at Althoff," said athletic director Glenn Schott. "We have no idea how many girls will try out. It's a trial-and-error thing.

"For several years, there had been some interest expressed (in starting girls soccer) by people both in the Belleville area and the Collinsville area. They have agreed to subsidize the program for three years.

"I'm anxious to see what this does to our other programs in the spring."

Nighohossian, 46, is a Granite City native and has spent the past eight seasons as an assistant coach at Granite City High School. Along with former head coach Mike Velloff, he helped start the Lady Warriors' soccer program.

NIGHOHOSSIAN WAS AN assistant the past five years to Gene Baker, who has won nine state titles as the boys coach at Granite City.

"Granite had some (athletic budget) cutbacks last year that went into effect this school year," said Nighohossian, who teaches chemistry at East St. Louis Senior High School. "They had to let go of one coach in football and soccer, and I was the soccer coach."

Nighohossian's soccer background includes four years as a player at MacMurray College in Jacksonville. Granite City had not yet started boys soccer when he graduated from high school. He is also a soccer official.

Schwab, 40, has been a soccer coach for 12 years, mostly at St. Clare Grade School in O'Fallon. He also spent one season as an assistant to boys coach Art Voellinger at O'Fallon High School. His teams at St. Clare have a 73-0-3 record over the past six seasons.

"I'VE ALWAYS WANTED to coach girls at a higher level," said Schwab, who lives in O'Fallon. "Plus, my son is transferring to Althoff (as a freshman) in the fall."

Schwab works for St. Clair County regional superintendent of schools Martha O'Malley. He is an instructor in the youth DUI education prevention program.

"I make the rounds at all 13 high schools in St. Clair County," Schwab said. "I made a presentation at Althoff two weeks ago and got to meet some of the girls then."

Nighohossian and Schwab held a meeting Monday at Althoff, and 26 girls expressed an interest in playing soccer. At this point, it is uncertain if there will be a junior varsity team.

"AFTER THE FIRST two weeks of practice, we'll have a good idea of where we stand," Nighohossian said. "If we can keep 24 girls out for the team, we may be able to play some JV games."

Althoff becomes the 11th Metro East school to offer girls soccer, joining Collinsville, Granite City, Alton, Metro East Lutheran, Wood River, O'Fallon, Roxana, Cahokia, Bethalto and Alton Marquette. Other potential opponents are Jacksonville, several Springfield schools and a number of St. Louis schools.

"We want to go out and be competitive, play a good, sound game and understand the fundamentals," Nighohossian said.

"One of our main goals is to stabilize the program and make

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Red Devils upset Althoff, advance to regional final

By Tony Panozzo
Staff writer

The Venice Red Devils turned in the kind of performance coach Clinton Harris had been looking for all season when they upset top-seeded Althoff 53-50 Wednesday night at the Wesclin Class A Regional.

Unfortunately, Harris was not there to see it. After guiding the Red Devils to a 61-53 comeback win over Wesclin on Monday night, Harris traveled to South Carolina to attend a relative's funeral.

With assistant coach Chuck Mosby in charge, the Red Devils edged the Crusaders and advanced to Friday's regional title game — where they will meet the winner of tonight's game between Madison and Lebanon. The Trojans will play the Greyhounds at 7:30 p.m.

The Red Devils, who led the Crusaders 25-20 at halftime, employed patience on offense and hard work on defense to earn the victory. Mosby got the most out of Venice's six-player rotation

Venice won for the second time in a row and improved to 10-15. Althoff, which made it into the Class A state rankings this year, finished 16-10.

"It's a big win, but what's important is we won together,"

VENICE 53, Althoff 50

VENICE	2pt	3pt	FT	Pts
Brandon Burnett	6	0	2	14
Jermaine Ware	4	0	5	13
Cedric Wiley	4	1	0	11
Orlando Porter	3	1	0	9
Wilbert Glasper	2	0	0	4
James Wellmaker	1	0	0	2
Totals	20	2	7	53

ALTHOFF	2pt	3pt	FT	Pts
Matt Fitzsimmons	5	1	6	19
Curt Foppe	1	2	2	10
Chris Murray	4	0	0	8
Shawn Sullivan	1	0	3	5
Ryan Knox	2	0	0	4
Muno Crawford	1	0	0	2
Adrian Jacquot	1	0	0	2
Totals	15	3	11	50

Venice (10-15)	15	10	11	17	— 53
Althoff (16-10)	13	7	13	17	— 50

Rebounds — Venice 31 (Ware 12, Burnett 5, Burnett 4, Wellmaker 4, Wiley 4, Glasper 2); Althoff 22 (Fitzsimmons 9, Foppe 6, Sullivan 4, Crawford 2, Murray).

Mosby said. "I'm proud. It was a team effort. We ran our offense more than we usually do, and everybody contributed.

"This win is for Coach Harris, the school, everyone."

The Red Devils are back in the regional title game for the first time in two years. A meeting with Madison is a distinct possibility, because the Trojans own a win over Lebanon earlier this season.

The Red Devils began pulling away from Althoff midway through the fourth quarter, but they had to survive a late rally by the Crusaders to pull out the win. With three minutes left,

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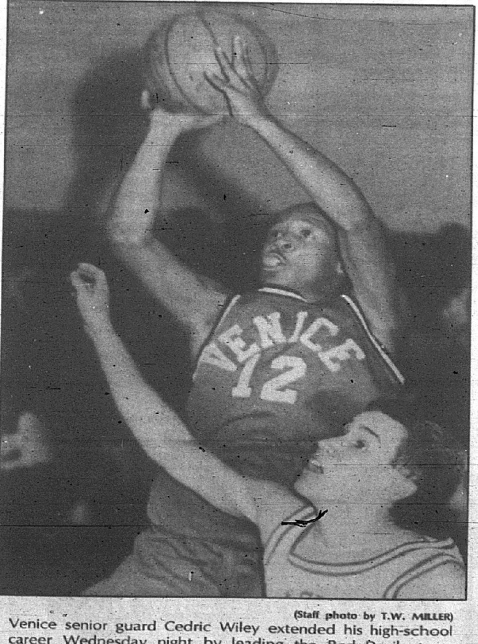

(Staff photo by T.W. MILLER)
Venice senior guard Cedric Wiley extended his high-school career Wednesday night by leading the Red Devils to a regional win.

Warrior cagers hope to finish season strong

By Tony Panozzo
Staff writer

The Granite City High School basketball team will try to head into regional play with some extra momentum Friday night when it travels to Belleville West for its final Southwestern Conference game of the year.

The Warriors (7-15) will take on the Maroons (14-10), who are coming off Tuesday's 68-65 loss to Edwardsville. The Warriors played well last weekend in gaining a win over Alton and losing 69-67 to Chatham Glenwood. Both games were at home.

The season is winding down, and Granite City coach John Van Buskirk would like to see the Warriors go into next Wednesday's regional game at Edwardsville with a win behind them.

"We're playing pretty well right now," Van Buskirk said. "But we still have to prove to ourselves that we can beat a good team. That's still a question mark.

"No. 1 is Belleville West. We're going to try to get another conference win. That's what is the most important to us. After that, we'll worry about Edwardsville."

Granite City is coming off one of its better weekends of the year. On Friday, the Warriors picked up their second conference win by defeating Alton 64-60. The following night, the Warriors pushed Chatham Glenwood to the limit before losing by two points.

Chatham Glenwood, seeded

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Park District Briefs

Baseball, softball sign-ups going on

The Granite City Park District is now taking sign-ups for boys and girls interested in playing youth baseball and ponytail softball.

Any boy or girl whose birthday falls between Sept. 1, 1984 and Dec. 31, 1985 is eligible. Names are placed on a list, and teams are formed from the list or by managers who need players to fill out their rosters.

Boys or girls who will be 15 years old and younger may also have their name put on a list, and every effort will be made to get them on a team.

Anyone interested in managing a youth baseball or softball team should call or stop in the park office. Call Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office, 877-3059, for more information.

Umpires needed for youth games

The Granite City Park District needs baseball and softball umpires for youth games this summer at Wilson Park. A meeting will be held Tuesday at the Brown Recreation Center for those interested.

Young adult boys and girls are needed as well as adults. Anyone interested will be taught the rules and mechanics to become an umpire. The meeting is free.

•Warriors

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'Getting this far was a great accomplishment, but I don't like losing...We could have won it.'
— Mike Garland
Warrior coach

with us. I figured we would win early and hang on."

After Slay's loss, Granite City had a 13-3 lead. Victories by John Venne at 130 and Jamie Kirby at 135 increased the lead to 21-3.

But the Senators came back with wins by Shane Sullivan at 140, Chris Kuenle at 145 and pins at 152 and 160. At 152, Keith Naudain pinned Mike Grubbs at 3:09, and at 160, Joe Bee stuck Tony Buchek at 1:15. Bee placed second at the state tournament.

Springfield also came back in its opening win against Edwardsville. The Tigers won four of the first six matches through 135, but the turning point came at 140.

Sullivan defeated Edwardsville's Bob Brown 11-9 in overtime.

"The way the 140 match turned out was key," Edwardsville coach Babe Stahlhut said. "If we win that, it's tied going into the heavyweight match.

"We had to have it locked up by then. (But) I have no complaints at all. We kept it as close as we could."

"Our strength goes from about 140 on up," Nesbit said. "We figure if we can stay close in the early matches, we have an opportunity to win."

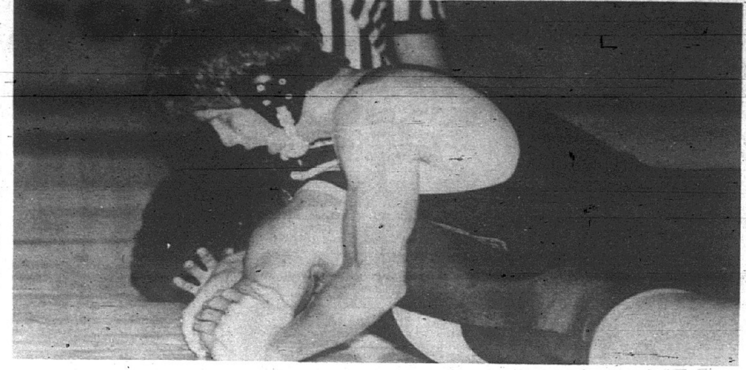
Garland figured the Warriors would be able to survive Springfield's superiority in the upper weights. Granite City got six points from a pin by Chris Hogan at 103 and five more from a technical fall win by John Venne at 130.

The three-point loss was a difficult one for Granite City, which hadn't tasted defeat since losing a state tournament dual last year to Lyons Township. The Warriors went undefeated in the regular season the past two years.

Garland's team lost 10 wrestlers from last year but rebounded strongly, coming close to going to state again.

"Getting this far was a great accomplishment, but I don't like losing," Garland said. "The bottom line was we had an opportunity and we could have won it.

"I'm happy we were here, it was good exposure. But once you get here, you get greedy."



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)
Senior Andy Richards completed his Granite City career Tuesday night.

•Devils

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senior swingman Orlando Porter canned a 3-point field goal from the corner to give Venice a 45-39 lead.

The Crusaders stayed close, however, and cut the Devils' lead to 49-48 on a clutch 3-point basket by guard Curt Foppe with just under two minutes left. Center Matt Fitzsimmons then stole the ball on defense, and he drew a foul and hit two free throws to give the Crusaders a 50-49 lead with 1:06 left.

But Cedric Wiley, the Devils' senior point guard, swished a desperation shot around a defender on the baseline to get the lead back with 26 seconds left. After an Althoff time out, the Crusaders tried to find Fitzsimmons. But they couldn't, and Foppe missed a shot on a drive to the basket.

Ware got the rebound, drew a foul and hit two free throws to seal the win. But it was Wiley's shot that saved the Red Devils.

Wiley said he and his teammates were determined to pull off the upset.

"This is a big surprise," Wiley said. "But we wanted to beat them for Coach."

While Wiley's shot was crucial, the rest of his teammates came through in other ways. Forward Brandon Burnett led the Devils offensively with 14 points, and Ware had 13 points and 12 rebounds.

For Althoff, it was yet another frustrating loss. The Crusaders wound up losing six of their last nine games of the season.

The Red Devils never allowed the Crusaders to get going offensively. Althoff scored just seven points in the second quarter.

"It was by far the worst offensive performance we've had all year," Deets said.

"It's a huge disappointment. If we would have played good ball this week, we could have won the regional."

Venice caught Althoff after the Crusaders' solid offensive performance against Dupo on Monday. Althoff beat Dupo 79-57 behind 24 points from both Fitzsimmons and Foppe.

Fitzsimmons, the Crusaders' 6-foot-6 All-State honorable mention center, scored 19 points against Venice but had a quiet game from the perimeter. Most of his points came from inside, not from 3-point range.

"We wanted to play tough man-to-man defense and not let them get open for 3-point shots," Mosby said. "(Fitzsimmons) is their scorer. We wanted to make him work harder for it."

Deets said he tried to tell his team not to underestimate the Devils because of their record.

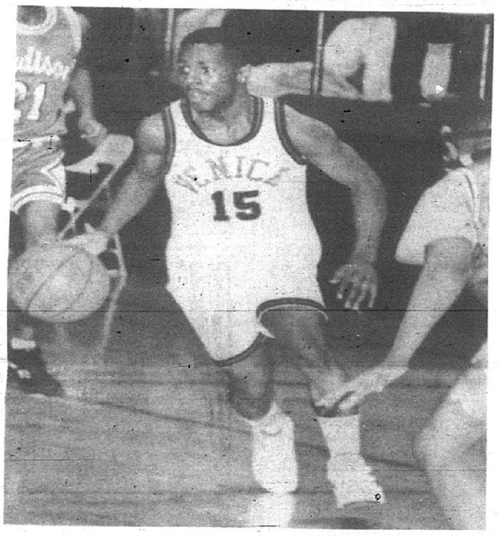
"I told the kids Venice would play three notches above what they did all year," Deets said.

The Red Devils might be close to peaking at the right time. Venice has played inconsistently throughout the year but has rebounded this week.

Mosby said he was not sure when Harris would be back with the team.

"He might come back now," Mosby said.

"I hope he's here Friday," Wiley said. "We can sure use him."



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)
Wilbert Glasper and his Venice teammates could be in for a regional title matchup with Madison on Friday.

•Matmen

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rematch between Thorton and Pat Scheffer was expected somewhere along the way, because Thorton defeated the Warrior senior in sectional competition Feb. 13.

But Thorton did not wrestle. Carbondale coach Dennis Ragan held him from the lineup because of missed classes.

Carbondale forfeited at 112, and Scheffer wrestled at 125 and posted an 11-1 win over Antowain Penn. The Warriors wound up winning the first five of six matches.

"We knew we were going to have to win a number of the lighter weights to win the match," Ragan said. "Going in, I thought 112 and 119 would be the deciding weights.

"(Thorton) didn't put in enough time in school. He knew if he didn't, he wasn't going to wrestle."

The Warriors built up a 21-3 advantage after a key pin by T.J. Slay at 130. Slay stuck Troy Zimmerman at 1:37 in a match that gave the Warriors a great deal of momentum.

At 135, Jamie Kirby beat Anthony Harris 6-2 to increase the lead to 24-3. Carbondale won the next four of five matches, but 189-pound senior Andy Richards came through with a pin in the final seconds against Eric Chappell.

Ragan, a former Granite City wrestler, said he thought the Warriors had the upper hand throughout the match and indicated his team might not have been ready for the sectional.

"I thought Granite wanted it more than we did," Ragan said. "I really don't like this format. It's tough for the kids to come back after two weeks of being off. But everybody has the same thing."

Meanwhile, on the other mat, Springfield was capping off its 28-19 comeback win against Edwardsville. After Springfield defeated Granite City for the sectional title, coach Bob Nesbit mentioned he felt fortunate because of the way the teams were paired.

Springfield's strength is in the upper weights.

"We probably got the best draw we could ask for," Nesbit said. "We didn't want to wrestle Carbondale. We felt we didn't match up well."

Garland, as usual, refused to make excuses for the loss.

"It just didn't work out this time," Garland said. "I'm still proud of my kids. I'm disappointed for them, not in them."

If nothing else, the Warriors can enjoy the season they put together. They proved to be the best of the Metro East again this year, and most of the team's members will be returning next year.

Granite City's only seniors this year were Scheffer and Richards.

A significant amount of freshmen and sophomores picked up valuable experience. The freshman starters were Venne, Jeff Estrada at 140, Joe Scott at 145 and heavyweight Chris Janek.

The sophomore class consisted of 103-pounder Chris Hogan, 119-pounder Tim Fulkerson, Slay, 135-pounder Jamie Kirby and 160-pounder Tony Buchek.

"It was a good year, but it was a tough way to end it," Garland said. "I feel sorry for the seniors. Hopefully, we can work hard enough to be back here next year at this time."

GRANITE CITY 33, Carbondale 20
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Springfield 28, Edwardsville 19
103 — Ronnie Hansen (EV) t.f. Ladd Mitchell, 15-0. 112 — Troy Catron (SF) def. Ricky Welborn, 6-1. 119 — Neal Evans (EV) def. Tony Tranquilli, 5-3. 125 — Tory Clay (SF) def. Tim Vediz, 12-0. 130 — Mark Campbell (EV) t.f. Kurt Haager, 17-2. 135 — Niles Ruthven (EV) def. Ryan Ramsey, 3-0. 140 — Shane Sullivan (SF) def. Bob Brown, 11-9 (OT). 145 — Chris Kuenle (SF) def. Preston Hall, 10-0. 152 — Keith Naudain (SF) def. Brent Rogers, 5-0. 160 — Keith Franklin (EV) def. Jeff Little, 5-2. 171 — Joe Bee (SF) def. Joe Adkins, 11-0. 189 — Ardallion Jordan (SF) def. Cody Moore, 10-1. 275 — Howard Peters (SF) def. Erik Stunkle, 3-0.

Players needed for AABC teams

A Granite City baseball coach, Doug Winfield, is looking to form teams for a traveling league to compete in the American Amateur Baseball Congress. Players born after Aug. 1, 1978, are needed.

The league will have a regular-season summer schedule and a playoff format leading to AABC state tournament play. The league is for players who would like to compete against teams throughout the southwestern Illinois region.

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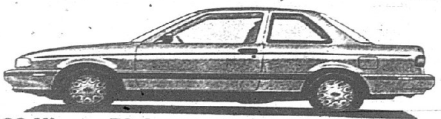

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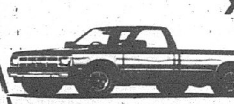

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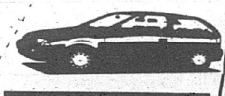

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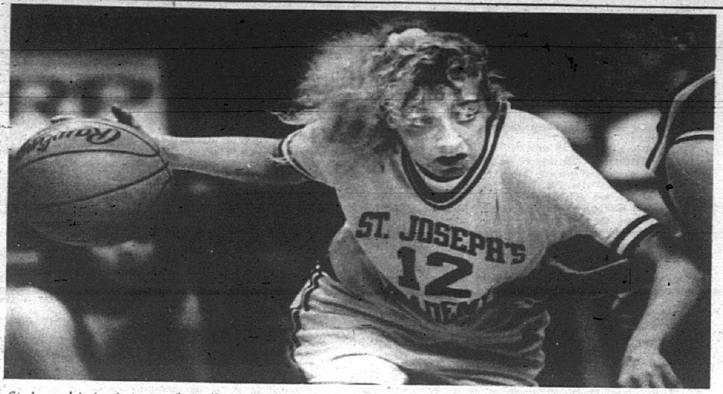

St. Joseph's junior guard Mollie Peirick, the *Journal* Athlete of the Month for January, is averaging over five assists and 16 points per game for the undefeated Angels.

Angels' standout guard Peirick becomes a star in own right

By Ted Radick
Staff writer

Journal ATHLETE OF THE MONTH

Perhaps the greatest testimony to Mollie Peirick's ability on the basketball floor is that she *hasn't* been overshadowed by teammate Kristin Folkl.

Go ahead. Ask any women's college basketball coach in the nation. They'll tell you all about Peirick. The junior guard has been the object of attention from colleges for several years now.

Peirick, the *Journal* athlete of the month for January, has gained attention both at St. Joseph's Academy and from her experience in summer AAU ball. Her AAU teams, which in the past and present have featured players like Folkl; Charmin Smith (Ladue); Rachel Larson (Kent State, Fox); Marnie Triefenbach (Stanford, Belleville West); Kim Jackson (Edwardsville) and a host of others, have made numerous trips across the nation at age-group championships.

Peirick missed a good chunk of her freshman year at St. Joe with a knee injury, but she returned to key the Angels' stretch drive to their first Class 4A title since the mid-'70s. Last year, St. Joe went 32-0 and added another state title. And the Angels are rolling along at 16-0 this year (through the weekend's games).

Along the way, St. Joe has traveled to some pretty prestigious tournaments. The Angels won the King Cotton Classic in Pine Bluff, Ark., in late December and last month competing in the Chicagoland Girls Prep Classic.

"Going to Arkansas and Chicago — getting to fly and go out of town — it's been exciting," Peirick said. "It's always fun to compete."

Some culture shock entered the picture when the Angels played in Arkansas. Folks there take their basketball very seriously, and the attention showered upon Peirick and her teammates was a source of amusement, she said.

"There were TV crews right at the airport filming us taking our

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Park District Briefs

Park board approves new age requirements

The Granite City Park District Board of Commissioners recently enacted a new rule pertaining to the age requirements for boys in the Atom I baseball program and girls in the Atom ponytail softball program.

The park board approved a rule recommended by the baseball/ponytail softball rules and protest committee. The reason for the change is to allow boys and girls play against others who are in the same grade of school. The old rule required children to be born in the same calendar year, which conflicts with the age requirements used in school districts.

For the year 1994, all boys and girls who start playing organized ball in the district must be born between Sept. 1, 1985, and Aug. 31, 1986.

The same rule will apply for 1993, this season, with an exception. The rule for this year shall read: Boys and girls born between Sept. 1, 1984, and Dec. 31, 1985, shall be able to participate in the Atom I Division of baseball and ponytail softball.

The rule covers the children born in September through December who would be excluded if the new rule were to go into effect this year. Those born in that period will not be allowed to move down next year, but will continue to play in the division in which they began.

Park district softball leagues open for re-entry, new teams

The Granite City Park District is accepting entry fees for returning teams in the Men's, Women's and Church softball leagues. The entry fee is $200 per team.

Anyone wishing to place a new team in the park district leagues should go to the Wilson Park office and register. New teams will be placed on a waiting list.

All returning teams should register, even if they cannot pay the entry fee at this time. There may be limited openings.

For more information, call Ray Hoffman at 877-3059.

Co-ed softball, youth league registration being accepted

The park district is forming a new co-ed softball league to be played on Tuesday nights at Wilson Park. The league will begin April 27 and will have a 12-game schedule, plus playoffs.

The fees for the league are $200 plus $20 per person living outside the park district.

Registration is also being taken for youth baseball and softball leagues wishing to participate.

The entry fee of $170 is being accepted at the Wilson Park office for returning teams.

New teams as well as last year's teams need to register. Anyone interested in managing a youth team should contact the Wilson Park office for more information.

Granite City Park District

Broomball (Feb. 15)
Men's division

Planet Granite	9½-2½ (19 pts.)
Planet Granite II	8½-3½ (17)
Hook's	8-4 (16)
Medicine Shoppe	5-7 (10)
Sports Tap	3½-8½ (7)
To Be Determined	1½-10½ (3)

Scores
Planet Granite 7, Medicine Shoppe 0
Sports Tap 4, To Be Determined 4
Hook's 2, Planet Granite II 1

Coed division

KFC	10-2 (20 pts.)
Maryland-Meats Ins.	9-3 (18)
Kilroy's	4½-7½ (9)
Planet Granite	4½-7½ (9)
Jacobsmeyers	2-10 (4)

Scores
Maryland-Meats Ins. 6, Kilroy's 1
KFC 8, Planet Granite 1

Wed. Basketball

Jacobsmeyers	11-0
Cat Daddies	8-3
Bindy's	6-5
The Hyllas	5-6
Purple Planet	3-8
ASJ	0-11

Scores
Jacobsmeyers 98, Bindy's 75
Purple Planet 63, The Hyllas 48
Cat Daddies 109, ASJ 75

Thursday Basketball (I)

Rudy's Raiders	8-1
Young Gunners	5-3
Premier Bricklayers	6-4
Sports Tap	5-5
Bindy's Busters	4-7
Bindy's	6-5
Go-Gunners	0-9

Scores
Bindy's 78, Go-Gunners 53
Young Gunners 67, Bindy's Busters 47
Rudy's Raiders 68, Premier Bricklayers 64

Thursday Basketball (II)

Eavenson Chiropractic	10-0
Electric Mud Puppies	7-2
Carquest	5-4
Court Jesters	4-6
1st Assembly	4-5
Hoopsters	2-8
Triangle Heating	2-7
Pace Hardware Hammers	4-5

Scores
Eavenson Chiropractic 80, Triangle Heating 62
Electric Mud Puppies 86, Carquest 61
Court Jesters 50, Hoopsters 41

Volleyball
Red Division

G.C. Subway	28-5
Sammy's Slammers	18-15
Sandy's Disc. Wallpaper	20-13
Bindy's	9-24
Sports Tap	9-27

Scores
G.C. Subway 15, Bindy's 9
G.C. Subway 15, Bindy's 9
G.C. Subway 15, Bindy's 9
Sports Tap 15, Sammy's Slammers 0
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Sports Tap 15, Sammy's Slammers 0

Blue Division

Wrecking Crew	33-3
Ernie & Annie's	24-12
E.P.A.I.	19-17
Black-Robbins	16-20
J&J Liquor	12-24
Jacobsmeyers	4-32

Scores
E.P.A.I. 15, Ernie & Annie's 13
E.P.A.I. 15, Ernie & Annie's 9
Wrecking Crew 15, E.P.A.I. 5
Wrecking Crew 15, E.P.A.I. 6
Wrecking Crew 15, Black-Robbins 11
Wrecking Crew 15, Black-Robbins 8

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sure it's worthy enough to carry on," Schwab said.

THE CRUSADERS WILL be eligible for postseason play this year. The team will play its home games at Laderman Park in Belleville, which is the home field for the Althoff and Belleville West boys soccer teams in the fall.

Schott said Althoff has an enrollment of approximately 545 students, split nearly evenly among boys and girls. He feels the added expense of a new sport is worthwhile.

"The more young people participating in any activity, the better off the school is," Schott said.

The Crusaders' 1993 schedule already includes eight regular-season games, plus three or four games in a tournament in Alton. Schott hopes to add two more games to the schedule.

Althoff is the first high school in Belleville to offer girls soccer, which Nighohossian thinks will be a plus for his program.

"IF YOU WANT to play soccer and only one school has soccer, there's no choice (but to attend Althoff)," he said.

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11th in the Edwardsville Sectional Complex, is 20-4.

"We played well the whole weekend," Van Buskirk said. "We came up short Saturday, but we had our chances. We didn't have a letdown."

Against Chatham Glenwood, the Warriors were led by the guard play of Jason Black and Jon Duft. Black produced a season-high 24 points, and Duft added 21. The Warriors' backcourt, which includes point guard Larry Mosby, continues to be the team's strong suit.

Black has stepped up in the second half of the season after coming off the bench and playing on the junior varsity level earlier this year.

"Right now, he's been the difference for us," Van Buskirk said. "He's a scorer. He's still benefitting from them trying to stop Jon.

"We said from the beginning that Jason had the potential to play varsity, and we've gotten him in quite a few games."

The Warriors have been leaning toward the three-guard offense of Mosby, Duft and Black. The starting forwards have been Pat Curry and Steve Rains, P.J. Hamilton or Jim Clutts.

Curry sparked the Warriors in their win over Alton, hitting for 17 points and asserting himself physically under the basket.

Curry helped contain Alton's leading scorer, Mark Miley, who slowed down after scoring 13 of his 18 points in the first half.

"Patrick really showed his strength that night," Van Buskirk said. "He had a terrific game. He just did everything well. I think if he makes his first couple shots, he really gets into the game."

The Warriors will need a similar performance from Curry and his teammates Friday against Belleville West. The Warriors came close to defeating the Maroons at home Jan. 29.

Granite City lost 63-60. Two West players, point guard Sean Keefe and center Nathan Vineyard, had solid games. Keefe scored 21 points, and Vineyard had 22. Van Buskirk said the Warriors hope to better contain the 6-foot-5 Vineyard.

"He was the kid who beat us," Van Buskirk said. "We have to be aware of where he is."

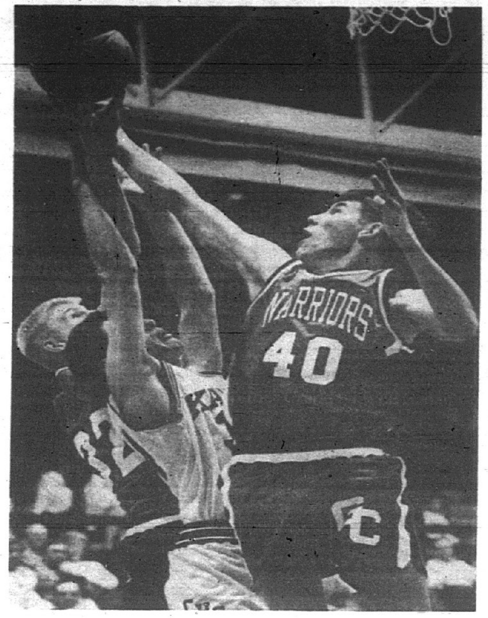
Keefe is another concern for the Warriors. He is West's scoring leader and the team's best 3-point shooter. Van Buskirk watched him score 20 points against Edwardsville.

"He's their go-to guy," Van Buskirk said. "He made every basket he could in the second quarter against Edwardsville.

"They made some 3-point shots at key times. Belleville West always plays good defense, so they're very seldom out of a game."

A win over the Maroons would even the season series, something the Warriors have done against Alton and Belleville East.

"We have a little different lineup now that we had last time," Van Buskirk said. "We have to just go out and play."



(Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK)

Granite City senior forward P.J. Hamilton goes up for a rebound against Collinsville's Joe Muniz and Warrior teammate Jon Duft. Hamilton and the Warriors are heading into their final regular-season game.

Mitchell Khoury holding sign-ups

A registration session for Mitchell Khoury T-ball, baseball and girls softball will be held at 6-8 p.m. tonight at Maryville School, 4651 Maryville Road.

The fees vary. For T-ball, which is for children age 5-7, the fee is $25. For baseball (7-and-older), the fee is $35. The fee for girls softball (8-and-older) is $30.

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luggage off the carousel," Peirick said. "We stayed at a hotel on the outskirts of town, and there were guards to keep people off our floor if they didn't have a pass.

"It was neat."

The Chicago tourney was played in a round-robin format, so the Angels didn't have a chance to meet Chicago Marshall (the nation's top-ranked No. 1 team) or Kokomo, Ind. (then ranked No. 2). Marshall won that game, bringing up the big question: could the Angels play with either of those two?

"It really put things into perspective for us," Peirick said. "We could compete with them — it would be a very, very close game. I think Cor Jesu and Incarnate Word could compete with them, too."

The Angels have currently won 59 games in a row (the last loss was to McCluer North in the finals of the Maryville Tourney two years ago this week — St. Joe was missing both Peirick and Folkl from the lineup), but Peirick takes nothing for granted.

"We respect everyone and look past no one," she said. "You have to take every game seriously."

Especially this season. The Angels are still working out the kinks of a new guard combination, one which includes Peirick. After having spent the last two years in the three (small forward) spot, Peirick is now a shooting guard. The adjustment seems to be progressing smoothly.

"I have to look at it a lot differently," she said. "I try to have a complete game, but the emphasis isn't on scoring anymore."

Peirick's value to the Angels may be increased, however. It's no coincidence that Peirick's assist totals are way up (more than five per game), and nobody, repeat nobody, plays better defense than the 5-foot-10 Peirick.

And it's not like Peirick has forgotten how to shoot. She's averaging more than 16 points per game this year.

QCSA looking for female players

The Quad-Cities Soccer Association needs players for a women's over-30 outdoor league. Teams will have seven members, and games will be played on Sundays.

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By Bill Hunot
Social Security Administration

If you hire a baby sitter or other household help, here are some frequently asked questions about Social Security taxes and domestic workers.

Q. When do I have to pay Social Security taxes on someone I hire to work around my home?

A. Domestic employees (baby sitters, house cleaners, gardeners, butlers, maids, etc.) are covered by Social Security if they are paid $50 or more in a calendar quarter. You must withhold Social Security taxes from a covered employee's wages, and you must pay the matching employer share of the taxes, for a total of 15.3 percent of the wages.

If you have a domestic employee, call the Internal Revenue Service at 1-800-829-1040 and ask for an employer identification number. The IRS also will send you the forms necessary to report and pay the required Social Security taxes.

Q. I have a baby sitter. But I'm not sure if she is really my employee. When is a baby sitter an employee and when is she an independent contractor?

A. If your baby sitter watches your child in your home, she is your employee and you are responsible for withholding and matching her Social Security taxes. If you get your child-care outside of your home, you are getting it from an independent contractor and you are not responsible for the Social Security taxes. It's as simple as that.

Q. My mother comes over every day to watch my children while my husband and I are at work. I was told that this work is not covered by Social Security and that we couldn't pay Social Security taxes for her even if we wanted to. True?

A. True. Domestic services performed by your parent in your home are specifically excluded from Social Security coverage. The exception to this rule: If you were widowed, divorced or your husband was incapacitated and you hired grandma or grandpa to take care of the kids, then the services would be covered by Social Security.

Q. We hire one of the neighbor's teenagers to watch our baby when we go out. This is very infrequent, maybe once or twice per month, and she performs these services for other families, too. Would she be considered our employee?

A. If she baby-sits in your home she is your employee, regardless of any other employment or self-employment she may have. If you pay her $50 or more in a calendar quarter, you are liable for Social Security taxes, regardless of how infrequently or irregularly the services are performed.

Q. I baby-sit for a little girl in my home. Am I considered self-employed? Do I have to pay Social Security taxes on my earnings?

A. Baby-sitting done in your home is self-employment. In other words, you are considered in business for yourself. If your net earnings from this activity are more than $400 in a year, you must file self employment forms (Schedules C and SE) with your federal income tax return, and you must pay Social Security taxes on your net earnings. Net earnings means your gross income (the amount you are paid) minus any legitimate business expenses you have. For more information call the IRS ask for a copy of Publication 334, Tax Guide for Small Businesses.

Book gives tips for parents, teachers of gifted children

By Jane Cosby
Correspondent

All men might be created equal, but by the time they reach school age there are enough differences within a classroom of children to boggle the average schoolteacher's lesson plans.

Dealing with the diversities among children's abilities and skills is far from easy and is an essential element of learning.

Most teachers find themselves aiming their lessons toward the average students in their class and trying as best they can to accommodate the top and bottom students in other ways.

In some cases, teachers assume that the most able students will get by without much help from them and spend most of their time and energy on the less able students. It is just this situation that Susan Winebrenner seeks to remediate with her book, "Teaching Gifted Kids in the Regular Classroom" (Free Spirit Publishing, $19.95.)

This excellent compilation of strategies and techniques to meet the academic needs of gifted kids is aimed at teachers but has something to offer parents as well.

Winebrenner tells teachers how to deal with students who already know the material the teacher is preparing to teach. Pre-testing and special assignments that do not require a lot of teacher preparation are suggested to meet the needs of advanced students.

Parents of elementary school-age children who aren't being challenged in their regular classroom may want to invest in this wealth of teaching ideas to use as a resource guide. The book may give parents some ideas for ways to help their child's teacher.

Winebrenner suggests that children who have mastered the material being taught in class can engage in independent study assignments on topics of their choice.

Children could:

COLLECT facts or ideas which are important to them.

TEACH a lesson about their topic to the class.

COMPARE two things from their study.

GRAPH some part of their study.

DEMONSTRATE something to show what they have learned.

SURVEY others to learn their opinions and feelings about the student's topic.

DRAMATIZE something to show what they have learned.

FORECAST how their topic will change in the next 10 years.

The following activities are samples of the kinds of special assignments Winebrenner gives gifted children.

- Create a game for others to play to learn specific information.
- Create dictionaries for specific topics or translate words into another language.
- Create a puppet show, radio or television production.
- Write a diary or journal of an important historical event or person.
- Create a time line of events: personal, historical or social.
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Cole found success by trusting own instincts

By Alan Sculley
Correspondent

Jude Cole says he has had a slow-building career filled with plenty of hard-won lessons.

As learning experiences go, though, one that most shaped the direction of his solo career occurred after he completed his 1987 self-titled debut with producer Russ Titleman.

"Russ was a big-name producer; he signed me to the (Warner Bros.) label, so obviously I had a lot of respect for him," Cole said. "But on a creative level, I don't think that we really synced in. I don't think he knew where I was coming from. And so I found myself listening to him a lot going, 'Well, I guess you know better than I.'

"But when I got the final product I thought, 'This isn't me. This isn't the record I wanted to make at all,' " Cole said

Faced with that realization, Cole decided to trust himself and take control of his music. He set up shop in a second-floor apartment in his adopted hometown of Los Angeles and began writing. In all, Cole penned 88 songs. Ten of those were chosen for his second album, "A View From 3rd Street."

Cole's decision to trust his own instincts proved correct. "A View From 3rd Street" yielded the Top 5 hit "Baby It's Tonight" and the frequently played singles, "Time For Letting Go" and "House Full Of Reasons."

If anything, Cole practiced even more creative independence with his recently released third effort, "Start The Car." He co-produced the record, chose his session musicians (an all-star cast that includes Little Feat's Billy Payne, drummer Jim Keltner, Tommy Shaw and Jack Blades of Damn Yankees and singer Sass Jordan) and guided the project from start to finish.

The result is an album Cole finds completely satisfying.

"I feel really good about the record, from head to toe," he said. "I don't think there's a weak spot on the record."

"Start The Car" is a bit rougher and rootsier than "A View From 3rd Street," especially in light of the countryish "First Your Money (then Your Clothes) and the rocking title track. But the songs confirm Cole's knack for writing catchy pure-pop melodies.

For Cole, a native of the small town of East Moline, Ill., finding the confidence to step out as a solo artist and take total control of an album like "Start The Car" was a difficult process.

"I came from a town where you didn't ever think you were better than the next guy," Cole said. "I mean if I would have tried to have a solo thing in my hometown, I couldn't have found anybody to play with me. So the whole concept of being a solo artist was one of almost arrogance to me."

It's no surprise then that when Cole, 32, moved to Los Angeles in 1978, he wasn't looking to launch a solo career. Instead, he became a hired gun, landing his first job a month after his arrival as guitarist with Moon Martin's band. It was the first of a succession of pre-solo career gigs that over the next four years included stints with The Records, Billy Thorpe and Del Shannon.

Cole, however, passed up his biggest opportunity when he declined an invitation to audition for the bass player slot in Tom Petty's Heartbreakers following the departure of that group's original bassist Ron Blair.

"I did have a shot at it," Cole said. "But my own lack of self-confidence made me say, 'I'm really not your guy. I'm more of a guitar player than a bass player, so I know of a guy named Howie Epstein that's great. You should try him.' Howie was a friend of mine. He's a friend of mine still.

"But that really turned out to be a blessing, because I think that if I would have been making the money with Tom Petty back then I don't think I would have ever become a solo artist. I'd probably still be a band guy."

Jude Cole headlines a Feb. 25 show at Mississippi Nights. Tickets for the 8:30 p.m. show are $10 in advance, $12 day of show. Jill Sobule opens.

In concert news, folk star Joan Baez will come to Mississippi Nights for a rare club appearance on March 26. Opening the 8:30 p.m. show is John Wesley Harding. Tickets are $15.

The Night On The Town tour, featuring Chaka Khan, Philip Bailey, Hugh Masekela, Bobby Lyle and Gerald Albright has been booked for a 7:30 p.m. show March 25 at Mississippi Nights. Tickets are $20.

Another specially named package tour, the Spring Jam Love Tour, will stop at the Fox Theatre for an 8 p.m. performance on March 5. The show features After 7, R. Kelly and Public Announcement, Lo-Key and SWV. Tickets are $21.50.

Jude Cole

Poor script weakens drama of 'The Temp'

By Harry Hamm
Correspondent

"The Temp" is a yuppie office drama about a driven temporary assistant who is deadly serious about her work.

Lara Flynn Boyle appears as Kris Bolin, an interim secretary to young corporate executive Peter Derns, played well by Timothy Hutton.

Kris quickly gains Peter's complete confidence, although Peter's boss Charlene, played by Faye Dunaway, has her misgivings. Those concerns are validated when Peter's real secretary, a man, returns from paternity leave and immediately has a nasty encounter with a paper shredder.

Kris takes charge of more than Peter's business career. Soon she is handling his personal finances and making certain she does everything possible to anger Peter's estranged wife.

Peter and Kris even get romantically involved, although she assures him that, "This isn't about sex, Peter. It's about work."

The script for "The Temp" deteriorates about the film's midpoint. The performances are straightforward and confident. The black humor clicks.

It's only the story that keeps "The Temp" from completely working as a demonic tale of career chaos.

Rated R (violence, sexual suggestiveness and profanity). Running time: 96 minutes.

Peter Derns (Timothy Hutton) becomes suspicious that his temporary secretary Kris Bolin (Lara Flynn Boyle) is using devious methods to further her career, in "The Temp."

'Alternative' music breaks down barriers

By Bill Beggs
Correspondent

GETTING 'THE POINT': It's oxymoronic that once radio stations play a certain song, or an artist sells a million copies, the tune can't be called "alternative" music anymore.

Long-suffering fans of the genre rejoiced Feb. 17, when a new station started broadcasting at 105.7 FM, where a light-rock station had been. Such fans had lamented the loss of former station WMRY-FM, which switched to a mellow-rock format and exiled the Talking Heads, Ramones, Elvis Costello and other cutting-edge musicians from the commercial airwaves in St. Louis.

1. What Seattle-area threesome put the "grunge" scene on the map when their album, titled what, hit No. 1 on The *Billboard* 200 albums chart last year?

2. David Byrne was a founding member of what seminal art-school ensemble, and what song that hit No. 9 in *Billboard* in 1983 has been the band's highest-charting hit?

3. Who is Declan McManus?

4. Who leads that ever-popular band of what critics call mope-rockers, The Cure?

5. Who hit No. 9 in 1990 with "Enjoy The Silence," and what is the name of the album from which it is taken?

6. Born Nov. 30, 1955, in London, Willem Wolfe Broad is better known by what name?

7. What Athens, Ga., new-wave dance band took its name from the bouffant hairdos worn by its two female members?

8. Who played alongside Sting, the bass player in the seminal new-wave trio The Police?

9. Michael Stipe sings, Peter Buck plays guitar — who plays bass and drums in this critically acclaimed band that's heavy in The Point's rotation?

10. Who is Flea? (Extra credit: What is his typical attire for a live performance?)

ANSWERS: 1. Nirvana, "Nevermind" 2. Talking Heads, "Burning Down The House" 3. His stage moniker is Elvis Costello 4. The man with the haystack hair, the pout and the black lips and fingernails, Robert Smith 5. Depeche Mode, "Violator" 6. Billy Idol 7. The B-52s 8. Stewart Copeland on drums and Andy Summers on guitar 9. Mike Mills is the bass player, Bill Berry the drummer for R.E.M. 10. Bass guitarist for Red Hot Chili Peppers (Extra credit: His bass, his tattoos and his underpants)

Auditions Saturday for SIUE summer stock theater

Auditons are this weekend for two plays planned in July at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Open auditions for "Summer Showbiz '93," the non-Equity summer stock theater program entering its 13th season at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, are set to begin at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 27, at SIUE's James F. Metcalf Theater.

This year's shows are the popular musical comedy "A Day In Hollywood/A Night in the Ukraine" and Neil Simon's hit comedy "Barefoot in the Park," both of which will be staged in July.

Those auditioning should prepare a two-minute comic monologue and be prepared to sing 16 bars of a song from a musical of their choice, bring sheet music, tap shoes, wear loose clothing and be prepared to dance. A piano accompanist will be provided at the audition site.

A resume and photograph are preferred, but not mandatory.

Callbacks are scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 1, in Rooms 2015 and 2019 in the Communications Building dance studios on the second floor.

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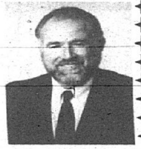

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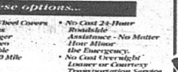

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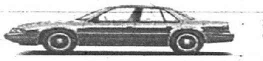

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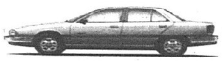

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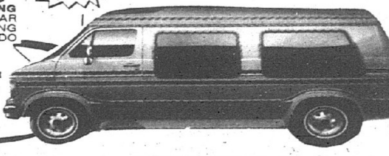

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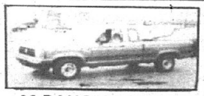

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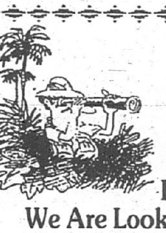

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Apartments/Flats Unfurnished 2620

A NICE one bedroom apartment. 1621 Delmar. $210 plus $100 deposit. 876-2108.

APARTMENT FOR Rent, one or two bedrooms, some utilities, off street parking, $275/mo. plus deposit. Call 451-5665

ATTRACTIVE, SPACIOUS, two bedroom duplex with small study, central air, attached carport, washer/dryer hook-up, many closets. Nice Granite City area subdivision $425/mo. 288-5297

2 BEDROOM APARTMENT in Maryville. Stove, refrigerator, carpet, CA. No pets. Deposit & lease. $300 month. 667-6215, 656-6234.

1 BEDROOM DUPLEX unit, garage, W/D hookup, in Collinsville. $325/monthly. Call 654-9662

1 BEDROOM, SPACIOUS basement apartment. Fully carpeted, major appliances furnished. C/A, utilities paid, private entry, off-street parking, secure area. Individual or working couple. No pets, please. $375 plus $200 deposit. Collinsville west end. 344-9328

COLLINSVILLE. 1 BEDROOM, large living room, located in quiet neighborhood. Water furnished. $250. 254-5761

COLLINVILLE ON Arrowhead. Spacious, 2 bedroom town house, includes 1½ baths, heated garage, stove, refrigerator, WD hookups, very clean & quiet. $435 month plus deposit. 656-6471.

DOWNTOWN GRANITE, 1 & 2 bedrooms. $230 and $320. Water, trash, and sewer paid. Deposit, references. 345-0721

FULL SIZE Apartment available. $45.00 per week. All utilites included. 452-7808.

24 HR/DAY RENTALS. Call Hartmann Realtors Hotline 345-7771.

HUGE ROOMS, one bedroom, bus line, refrigerator and range, some utilities, $225/mo. Call 235-7777 or 235-8544.

LARGE LOVELY 2 bedroom apartments in quiet wooded area in ESIC & Club Centre. Water, sewer & trash pickup furnished. Coin laundry. W/D hookups. No pets. 656-6695.

LOVELY, SPACIOUS, 1 Bedroom Apartments. Completely Remodeled. New Carpeting. Quiet, Safe, Downtown Area. On Busline. Deposit Required. Call 271-0224 or Inquire at 501 St. Louis Avenue.

MONTCLAIRE APARTMENTS, 1810-12 August Avenue, one bedroom, $275 month, deposit, references, no pets. 876-2459

SIR JOHN COURT
Modern two bedroom apartment, bath and ½, private basement, washer and dryer hook-up.
CALL 876-5929

TWO BEDROOM APARTMENT
Newly Decorated
New kitchen, stove and refrigerator. Heat and water furnished. Laundry facilities. One block from Wilson Park.
$360 Plus Deposit
NO PETS
931-5429

Apartments/Flats Unfurnished 2620

13TH month free! 1 & 2bedroom. Hartmann Realtors. 344-7900.

NEWLY PAINTED 2 bedroom upstairs apartment. Quiet and convenient. $310 per month. First and last. No pets. 451-7062.

NICE 1 BEDROOM House, 2504½ Denver, for rent, $275 month. 877-3124.

Nice Clean 3 Bedrooms, fully carpeted, stove/refrigerator included, deposit and references required. 931-1032

ONE BEDROOM apartment. 797-0793.

ONE BEDROOM Apartment, all utilities, A/C, no pets please. $365/mo. plus deposit. Call 398-6832

ONE Bedroom Apartments, partially furnished with most utilities, off street parking. Granite City Realty, ask for Burel, 931-8700.

ONE BEDROOM apartment. 24XX Grand. $350 month. Utilities included. $200 deposit. 452-0367.

ONE BEDROOM, carpet, C/A, stove and refrigerator, very nice, $275/mo. plus $200 deposit. 2251 Edison Ave. 452-0748.

ONE LARGE Upstairs apartment, all utilites paid, $290/mo., deposit required, no pets. Call 451-6869

1, 2, OR 3 BEDROOM duplex apartments, 1½ baths, W/D hookups, appliances, 1 car garage. No pets. $395-$495. 345-1232.

REMODLED 3 Room apartment. 452-0200.

3 ROOM APARTMENT, refrigerator and stove, clean and good neighborhood, $240/mo. plus months deposit, no pets. 452-1544.

SENIOR CITIZEN special! Heat paid and more-Collinsville. From $345. Hartmann Realtors 344-7900.

SENIORS APARTMENT, Collinsville. 2 bedrooms, ground floor, carport, heat, water, & trash paid. No pets. $425/month, plus deposit. 345-1709.

THREE LARGE Rooms, range & refrigerator, heating-cooking-water heating furnished. $235/mo., 2149 Benton. Coldwell Star Realators, 876-0612.

THREE ROOM and bath, fully carpeted, a/c, stove and refrigerator, water-sewer furnished, $185/mo. plus deposit, no pets, 288-7676

THREE ROOM Apartment, refrigerator and stove furnished, upstairs, 1st and last months rent. $225. 876-1754

THREE ROOM apartment, no pets. 877-4615

THREE ROOMS, bath, heat and water paid, carpet, no pets. 877-4580.

THREE ROOMS, carpeted, full bath, no pets. Call 451-6857

THREE ROOMS with bath, stove and refrigerator, carpet, rent $210, deposit $100. 876-2849

TWO BEDROOM, c/a, w/d hookup, $300 month, deposit, references, no pets. 876-2459

TWO ROOM Efficiency, bath room, stove, refrigerator, carpet, rent $180, deposit $100. 876-2849

UNFURNISHED 2 Bedroom Apt., Newly Decorated. No pets. Hook-ups. Applications Taken. References. Depsoit. Rent $325. 876-3674

Georgetown Apartments
451-2793

KATHY DRIVE APT.
Largest in area — 1100 sq. ft. Two bedrooms, utility room, refrigerator, range, garbage disposal, water and trash included.
$335 a Month
NO PETS
877-1744

Condominiums/Townhomes for Rent 2640

3 LEVEL, 2 BEDROOM townhouse, attached garage, no pets. $500. 345-3683.

Duplexes for Rent 2650

ATTRACTIVE 3 BEDROOM duplexes available for lease in ESIC Subdivision, Edwardsville. Spacious floor plan with walkin closets. All appliances included. No pets. 692-4533.

2 BEDROOMS in Maryville, UTILITIES paid, $425/month. 345-1447.

LUXURY 2 BEDROOM with garage, in Collinsville. WD hookups. No pets. $450/month. 233-6728.

$100 OFF FIRST MONTH RENT
2 bedroom, c/a, $300/mo. W/D hookup. Very clean. Cellular, 541-4988 or 931-8109

Houses for Rent 2660

AVAILABLE MARCH 1. Three bedroom home, 1½ bath, fireplace, garage, fenced yard, large deck, appliances, WD hookups. $600/month. Deposit, references. 288-7041 after 4pm.

ApartmentsFlats Unfurnished 2620

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS	OPEN 7 DAYS	ASPEN COURT
Granite City 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom Townhome W/D Hook-up Nice Area 797-1015	$200 Move In Special No Pets	Granite City Basements W/D Hook-up 2 Bedroom - Garden and Townhomes START AT $340 797-1016

LAKESIDE ESTATES
931-0107
1 Bedroom
2 Bedroom
2 Bedroom Townhome
SAVE UP TO $500
Pontoon Beach / Granite City

MOST MODERN
1 & 2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS and 2 BEDROOM, 1½ BATH TOWNHOUSE
VILLAGE LANE APARTMENTS
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT
Entrance 2600 Pontoon Rd. Phone 931-5356
Manager 3929 Village Lane, Apt. C
PONTOON PLAZA APARTMENTS
•2 Bedrooms •Living Room with Dining Area •Complete GE Kitchen •Gas heat and Central Air Conditioning •Full Basement •Wall to Wall Carpeting •Ceramic Tile Bath
FOR INFORMATION & APPLICATION FOR LEASE Call 931-1530
APARTMENT MANAGER IN APT. #69
BOTH APARTMENT COMPLEXES HAVE POOLS!

Houses for Rent 2660

AVAILABLE NICE three bedroom, basement, garage, $485, 451-8988.

AVAILABLE NOW, three bedroom, recently remodeled, home will be for sale soon, $425. 451-8988

3 BEDROOM, 1¾ bath, family room, and garage. $650/month. 318 Garesche, Collinsville. Available March 1st. 876-7078 or (314) 256-0787.

2 BEDROOM, 2 CAR GARAGE -$450. Hartmann Realtors 344-7900.

3 BEDROOM, 1 CAR garage, fenced yard, in Collinsville. 344-3668, leave message.

2 BEDROOM, FULL basement, newly remodeled. $420 month. 345-8290; 344-7197.

2 BEDROOM Home, single car, garage, fenced yard, $440, 797-1290

1-2 BEDROOM HOUSE with ¾ finished basement. For sale or rent. 2573 Hodges, Granite City. 877-3175.

CLEAN THREE Rooms, with basement, stove, refrigerator, 877-7026.

COLLINSVILLE, 2 BEDROOM dollhouse, newly remodeled, no pets. $400/month plus deposit. 345-1709.

COMFORTABLE, 2 bedroom, nice kitchen and bath, $300 plus $100 deposit. 876-2108.

NICE 3 BEDROOM, tri-level, in Troy, large backyard with privacy fence, 2 car garage, walkout basement. $675 month. 667-4757.

2 OR 3 BEDROOMS, 1 bath, full basement, single car garage. Located Main St., Collinsville. $485 plus month deposit. No pets. 344-5615.

SUPER LOCATION, 3 bedroom, full basement, 2 car garage. $750/month. 288-8022.

THREE BEDROOM, family room, $600 rent, $400 Deposit. Sheila Drive. 692-9620

THREE ROOM, four room apartment, furnished. 803 Grand. 877-6653

TWO BEDROOM, front. $350/mo. Madison, good neighborhood, references. 2012 Harris (front). Call 452-0100, from 10am-2pm.

Rent to Own 2665

THREE BEDROOM House, 2021 Beckwith, Madison. $365 monthly, $1500 Down. 451-1263 or 345-9299.

Mobile/Manufactured Homes for Rent 2670

1 & 2 BEDROOMS. For rent/sale, nice quiet setting. 632-5200.

2 BEDROOMS, washer and dryer hook up, stove and refrigerator, off street parking, close to major highways. $275 per month. Call 931-2678

8x45, 2Bdrms, Near Mitchell, $190 Month. (314)-521-4695

Mobile Home Sites/Lots for Rent 2672

FREE BREAKDOWN, MOVE & SET-UP. $99/month pad rent includes water, sewer & trash service plus stocked fishing lake. Some restrictions apply. Sunny Shores Mobile Manor. 618-797-0332.

$89 MONTH RENT for 6 months or $500 cash for move in. Edwardsville Estates. Pool, playground, cable, trees, large lots. 80' OK. 656-5893.

PRIVATE MOBILE Home Lot in East Granite for rent. $70/mo. Call 931-3899.

Sleeping Rooms 2682

GRANITE, FURNISHED, appliances, utilities paid, $175, agent owned. 452-5007.

NICE SLEEPING room, (house). 451-2138, 876-2108.

SLEEPING ROOMS for rent, just remodled, good location, all utilites paid. 876-4205.

Banquet/Meeting Rooms, Facilities 2700

SMALL HALL FOR RENT
14th & Iowa, Madison, IL
CAPACITY 125 TO 150 PEOPLE
Call 452-1830 or 876-5008

Legals

NOTICE

The Board of Education of CUSD #9, 1947 Adams Street, Granite City, IL 62040 is requesting sealed bids on the following items of supply and equipment. Detailed information and specifications may be obtained at the Board of Education Office, 1947 Adams Street, Granite City, IL 62040. Bids are due in the office of the Board of Education, 1947 Adams Street, Granite City, IL 62040, no later than 2:00 P.M. on the dates shown below. A public bid opening will be held at such time and place.

/s/ JAMES NOETH, Secretary

MARCH 15, 1993
Folding Chairs and Caddies
No. 43 2/25/93

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 522, St. Clair, Washington, Monroe, Madison, Bond, Montgomery, Perry, and Randolph Counties, State of Illinois, that the regular board meeting scheduled for Wednesday, March 17, 1993 has been CANCELLED and RESCHEDULED for 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 11, 1993. The meeting will be held in Room 1290 located at the Belleville Campus, 2500 Carlyle Road, Belleville, Illinois.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1993.

ROBERT F. MAXWELL, Chairman
SHIRLEE R. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Board of Trustees
Belleville Area College
District No. 522
No. 47 2/25/93

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS TRAINING SERVICES

Notice is hereby given that Madison County Community Development is soliciting proposals for an agency to provide training and educational workshops on housing related topics to low- and moderate-income persons in Madison County.

Copies of the Request for Proposals packages may be obtained from the Madison County Community Development Department, 130 Hillsboro, Edwardsville, IL 62025 or by calling (618) 692-6200 Ext. 4386. Responses to this request must be received no later than 3:30 p.m. March 15, 1993 at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read. All proposals must be marked "Request for Proposals - Training Services." Late responses will be returned unopened.

This request for Proposals does not commit Madison County Community Development to award a contract, to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a proposal, nor to procure or contract for services. Madison County Community Development reserves the right to negotiate with all qualified sources, and to cancel this Request for Proposals in part or in its entirety. Madison County Community Development also reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or any part thereof, and to waive any technicalities.

No. 46 2/25/28/93

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CENTRAL BANK, Plaintiff,
VS.
ANITA F. HAHNE, GRANITE CITY STEEL AND COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION, MAGNA BANK OF MADISON COUNTY, "UNKNOWN OWNERS" and NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendants.

No. 93-CH-36

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION (NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE)

COUNT I

NOTICE is hereby given to Defendants, Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants of the following described real estate that the above entitled mortgage foreclosure action is now pending, and the day on or after which a default may be entered against said Defendants is March 22, 1993.

The undersigned certifies that the above entitled mortgage foreclosure action was filed on February 4, 1993 and is now pending.

(i) The names of all plaintiffs and the case number is identified above.

(ii) The court in which said action was brought is identified above.

(iii) The names of the title holders are: Anita F. Hahne.

(iv) A legal description of the real estate sufficient to identify it with reasonable certainty is as follows:

Lots Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (36), Thirty-seven (37), Thirty-eight (38), Thirty-nine (39), and Forty (40) in Block Ten (10) in McNair's Addition to Madison, as the same appears from the plat thereof recorded in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois in Plat Book 5 Page 43. Situated in the County of Madison and State of Illinois; Except for the North One Hundred Six Feet of Lots 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40 in Block Ten (10) in McNair's Addition to Madison, as the same appears from the plat thereof recorded in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois in Plat Book 5 Page 43.

(vi) An indentification of the mortgage sought to be foreclosed is as follows:

Name of Mortgagors: Anita F. Hahne.

Name of Mortgagee: Central Bank.

Date of Mortgage: February 3, 1989. Modification dated 2/3/92.

Date of Recording: Original Mortgage: February 6, 1989. Modification dated 2/3/92, April 6, 1992.

County Where Recorded: Madison County, Illinois.

Recording Document Identification: Original Mortgage: Book 3510, Page 309. Modification dated 2/3/92. Book 3684, Page 1106.

COUNT II

NOTICE is hereby given to Defendants, Unknown Owners and nonrecord Claimants of the following described real estate that the above entitled mortgage foreclosure action is now pending, and the day on or after which a default may be entered against said Defendants is March 22, 1993.

The undersigned certifies that the above entitled mortgage foreclosure action was filed on February 4, 1993 and is now pending.

(i) The names of all Plaintiffs and the case number is identified above.

(ii) The court in which said action was brought is identified above.

(iii) The names of the title holders are: Anita F. Hahne.

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(v) A common address or description of the location of the real estate is as follows: 1901 3rd Street, Madison, Illinois.

(vi) An indentification of the mortgage sought to be foreclosed is as follows:

Name of Mortgagor: Anita F. Hahne.

Name of Mortgagee: Central Bank.

Date of Mortgage: April 11, 1991.

Date of Recordings: April 16, 1991.

County Where Recorded: Madison County, Illinois.

Recording Document Identification: Book 3622, Page 336.

COUNT III

NOTICE is hereby given to Defendants, Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants of the following described real estate that the above entitled mortgage foreclosure action is now pending, and the day on or after which a default may be entered against said Defendants is March 22, 1993.

The undersigned certifies that the above entitled mortgage foreclosure action was filed on February 4, 1993 and is now pending.

(i) The names of all Plaintiffs and the case number is identified above.

(ii) The court in which said action was brought is identified above.

(iii) The names of the title holders are: Anita F. Hahne.

(iv) A legal description of the real estate sufficient to identify it with reasonable certainty is as follows:

Lots Numbered 33 and 34 in Block Number 10 in McNair's Addition to Madison, as the same appears from the plat thereof recorded in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois in Plat Book 5, Page 43.

(v) A common address or description of the location of the real estate is as follows: 1901 3rd Street, Madison, Illinois.

(vi) An indentification of the mortgage sought to be foreclosed is as follows:

Name of Mortgagor: Anita F. Hahne.

Name of Mortgagee: Central Bank.

Date of Mortgage: March 3, 1992. Modification dated 2/3/92.

Date of Recording: Original Mortgage: April 6, 1992. Modification dated 2/3/92 April 6, 1992.

County Where Recorded: Madison County, Illinois.

Recording Document Identification: Original Mortgage: Book 3684, Page 1104. Modification dated 2/3/92. Book 3684, Page 1106.

MATT MELUCCI, Clerk of the Circuit Court

DALE M. FUNK
Apoian, Ross & Funk, P.C.
Attorney Reg. #00895741
Westfield Professional Building
807 West Highway 50, Suite 1
O'Fallon, Illinois 62269
Telephone: (618) 632-5544
No. 32 2/18/25; 3/4/93

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CHARLES T. BRYANT, Plaintiff,
vs.
PAULA B. BRYANT, Defendant.

No. 92-D-200

SERVICE BY PUBLICATION NOTICE

To: PAULA B. BRYANT

Take notice that a Petition For Dissolution of Marriage was filed in the above case. PAULA B. BRYANT, you are required to file your appearance or other responsive pleading with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County Courthouse, Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before March 15, 1993 or a Judgment by default will be entered against you.

MATT MELUCCI, Clerk of the Circuit Court
BY: ANDREW J. MIOFSKY
Attorney At Law
1522 Pontoon Road
Granite City, IL 62040
618/451-ANDY
No. 26 2/11/18/25/93

ROAD DISTRICT BUDGET TOWN OF VENICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING on Road District Budget. Notice is hereby given that a tentative budget and appropriation ordinance for road purposes of the Highway Commissioner Town of Venice in the County of Madison State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning March 26, 1993, and ending March 25, 1994, will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at Venice Township Office, 1502 5th St., Madison, IL from and after 9:00 O'clock A.M., Sunday, February 28, 1993.

Notice is further hereby given that a public hearing on said budget and appropriation ordinance will be held at 7:00 O'clock P.M., Tuesday, March 30, 1993, at Venice Township Office, 1502 5th St., Madison, IL in this Town of Venice and that final hearing and action on this ordinance will be taken at a meeting to be held at Venice Township Office, 1502 5th St., Madison, IL, at 7:00 O'clock P.M., on Tuesday, April 13, 1993.

/s/ WILLIAM J. McGARRAHAN, Town Clerk
No. 50 2/25/93

92-4465P

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 3RD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MADISON COUNTY, EDWARDSVILLE, ILLINOIS

Fleet Mortgage Corp. PLAINTIFF.
VS.
Billy R. Martin, and UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS DEFENDANTS

No.93-CH-1

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS.

Defendants in the above entitled suit, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of MADISON County, by the said Plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 51 in First Addition to Glenview, a Subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 26 Page 30 in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois.

Commonly known as: 2728 Dale, Granite City, IL 62040.

Permanent index number: 22-2-20-16-09-102-006-000.

and which said Mortgage was made by Billy R. Martin Mortgagors, to Mortgage Placement Specialists as Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of MADISON County, Illinois, as document number Book 3570, Page 1502.

And for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of the said Court against you as provided by law, and that the suit is now pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of MADISON County, in the City of Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before the 22nd day of March, 1993, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a judgment entered against you at any time after that day and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

Dated, Edwardsville, February 10, 1993.

MATT MELUCCI, Clerk

SHAPIRO & KREISMAN
Attorneys for Plaintiff
207 Main St., Suite 205
Peoria, Illinois 61602
(309) 676-0202
Atty. #00464813
No. 31 2/18/25; 3/4/93

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 522, St. Clair, Washington, Monroe, Madison, Bond, Montgomery, Perry, and Randolph Counties, State of Illinois, that a special board meeting will be held Monday, March 8, 1993 at 6 p.m. for the purpose of meeting to enter into discussion with representatives of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The meeting will be held in Room 1290, Belleville Campus, 2500 Carlyle Road, Belleville, Illinois.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1993.

ROBERT F. MAXWELL, Chairman
SHIRLEE R. HEATHERLY, Secretary
Board of Trustees
Belleville Area College
District No. 522
No. 48 2/25/93

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BETTY L. BIRKLA, Plaintiff,
vs.
JOSEPH K. BIRKLA, Defendant.

No. 92-D-1017

SERVICE BY PUBLICATION NOTICE

To: JOSEPH K. BIRKLA

Take notice that a Petition For Dissolution of Marriage was filed in the above case. JOSEPH K. BIRKLA, you are required to file your appearance or other responsive pleading with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County Courthouse, Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before March 15, 1993 or a Judgment by default will be entered against you.

MATT MELUCCI, Clerk of the Circuit Court
BY: ANDREW J. MIOFSKY
Attorney At Law
1522 Pontoon Road
Granite City, IL 62040
618/451-ANDY
No. 25 2/11/18/25/93

TOWNSHIP BUDGET TOWN OF VENICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING on Township Budget. Notice is hereby given that a tentative budget and appropriation ordinance for the Town of Venice in the County of Madison State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning March 26, 1993, and ending March 25, 1994, will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at Venice Township Office, 1502 5th St., Madison, IL from and after 9:00 O'clock A.M., Sunday, February 28, 1993.

Notice is further hereby given that a public hearing on said budget and appropriation ordinance will be held at 7:15 O'clock P.M., Tuesday, March 30, 1993, at Venice Township Office, 1502 5th St., Madison, IL in this Town of Venice and that final hearing and action on this ordinance will be taken by the Board of Town Trustees at the meeting to be held at Venice Township Office 7:15 O'clock P.M. on the 13th day of April, 1993.

/s/ RICHARD J. PATERSON, Supervisor
/s/ WILLIAM J. McGARRAHAN, Town Clerk
No. 49 2/25/93

NOTICE OF INTENT TO TAKE ACTION IN A FLOODPLAIN

Notice is hereby given that Madison County Community Development intends to provide a grant(s) to the City of Granite City for a(n) Economic Development Loan project(s).

Madison County Community Development proposes to provide a grant(s) to the City of Granite City for Haul Road project(s) to remove heavy truck traffic from residential streets. HUD regulations "Procedure For Floodplain Management And The Protection of Wetlands-Implementation of Executive Order 11988 and 11990," require a notice to be published for any action potentially affecting or adversely affected by a floodplain or wetland.

This city(s) is seeking funding for the extension from Nameoki Drive to 22nd Street at the above address(s). Through the analysis of the project circumstances it has not been completed, preliminary investigation indicates that there are no practicable alternatives to locating these projects in the floodplain. Also, no appreciable direct or indirect adverse impacts are expected. Consideration of comments submitted in response to this notice will be reflected in the final analysis of these projects.

Comments should be sent within fifteen (15) days following publication of this notice to Madison County Community Development, 130 Hillsboro Avenue, Edwardsville, IL 62025, Attention: Howard Lewis.

No. 45 2/25/93

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